WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising on the Coast, and fair weather is becoming general. Colder weather is reported in the Prairies.

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MR. GUTHRIE FOR REDUCING SALES TAX ON CLOTHING

Proposal Is Voted Down and Budget Reductions Go to Senate Without Change Except in Exemption Age

RURAL CREDITS BILL GIVEN THIRD READING

Bill Provides for Affording Long-Term Loans to Farmers—Province in Which Loan Is Made Must Share

OTTAWA, March 17.—Budget reductions in taxation passed their final stage in the House today and now go to the Senate. There were two bills. One gives effect to reductions in the sales tax, stamp tax and the tax on matches. The other gives effect to the ten per cent reduction in income tax. Neither of the bills was amended, although in an earlier stage, the Income Tax Bill was amended to increase the income tax exemption age for children from eighteen to twenty-one.

Today attempts were made from the Opposition side to amend both bills; and twice the House divided. On the Sales Tax Bill, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Opposition leader, moved to abolish the sales tax on personal clothing, boots and shoes. This amendment was defeated on the following division: Against 101, for 80; Government majority 21.

Division by Parties

Government members voted against the amendment. They were supported by Liberal-Progressives, Independents and the following members from the left of the Speaker: Messrs. Adshead, Labor, East Calgary; Jelliffe, U.F.A., Lethbridge; Carmichael, Progressive, Kindersley; and Fansher, Progressive, Lambton East.

Conservatives voted for the amendment which had the support also of U.F.A. and Progressive members, with the exception of those indicated.

Immediately after the defeat of the Guthrie amendment, E. J. Garland, U.F.A., Bow River, moved to abolish the Customs tariff on clothing, boots and shoes. This amendment was defeated by 169 to 18, a majority against of 151. Liberals, Liberal-Progressives and Conservatives united against it. With them voted Messrs. Adshead, Labor, East Calgary, and Jelliffe, U.F.A., Lethbridge.

Other U.F.A., Labor and Progressives composed the eighteen who voted in favor.

Rural Credits Bill

Third reading was given by the House tonight on the bill to establish a Federal system of rural credits. The bill is the same as that which passed the House last year but failed to become law.

The bill provides for the constitution of a Canadian farm loan board, which will issue farm loan bonds to make long-term loans to farmers.

The Dominion Government is to provide initial capital for the board to an amount not exceeding five millions and subscribe five per cent of the capital stock as loans are made. The government of each province in which loans are made is required to subscribe to the capital stock of the board an amount equal to five per cent of the loans; the borrower is required to subscribe five per cent of his loan, payable at the time the loan is made. Farm loan bonds may be held by the Minister of Finance to the extent of fifteen million dollars.

Man From Victoria Is Found Dead in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 17. — Believed to have died from natural causes, the body of Tofeal Ollett, forty-four, of Victoria, was found in bed at 207 Gore Avenue today. The body was removed to the morgue. Ollett was a returned soldier.

from the Colonist Tower.

Friday, March 18

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THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair, and cold at night.

Sun Rises: 6:20 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:21 o'clock.

High Tide: 4:02 a.m., 7.9 feet.
Low Tide: 9:29 p.m., 4.0 feet.

Sport

Hockey finals: Rangers 2, Detroit 0; Ottawa 1, Boston 0; Pittsburgh 6, Chicago 2; Montreal 2, Americans 1.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Dean Quainton sees possible menace to world peace in motion pictures.
H.M.S. Calcutta, of the British North Atlantic Squadron, will pay Victoria a visit.
Giant Powder Company officials visitors in city.
Hon. S. F. Tolmie makes statement refuting rumors.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
United States declines to ban peacetime practice with gas and bacteria.
Australia's cruiser launched.
Mr. Guthrie advocates moves for reduction in clothing tax.
Marshal Chang Tso-Lin replies to Soviet.
Lord Oxford and Asquith speaks at St. Patrick's Day banquet.

BRITISH CRUISER CALCUTTA TO PAY VICTORIA A VISIT

Will Arrive Some Time in June and Remain in B.C. Waters for Month, Making Several Calls

VESSEL STATIONED AT BERMUDA BASE

Has Speed of Thirty Knots—Arrangements Being Made for Entertainment of Officers and Crew

FOLLOWING the practice of making a cruise of Canadian ports each Summer, H.M.S. Calcutta will visit Pacific coast waters in June, it was learned yesterday. The Calcutta is attached to the North Atlantic Light Cruiser Squadron, and is stationed at Bermuda.

The Calcutta is a sister ship of H.M.S. Curlew, which visited this port last July. The vessel is expected to stay in British Columbia waters about a month, visiting not only Victoria, but Vancouver, New Westminster and Prince Rupert.

This will be the first visit of the Calcutta to Victoria. The sister ship Capetown, was here some years ago. Last year the Calcutta, after visiting eastern Canadian ports, proceeded to England for general overhaul.

Complement of 370

The cruiser has a complement of 370 officers and men. Her armament comprises five six-inch guns, two three-inch anti-aircraft guns and four three-pounders. She has a maximum speed of thirty knots. Her speed proved of considerable value during naval encounters during the Great War.

Arrangements are being made to entertain the officers and men during their visit here. Entertainments and dances at the Crystal Garden and Esquimalt Naval Barracks will be held, while sport engagements also will be arranged.

It was announced last night that H.M.C.S. Patrician arrived back at the naval base yesterday afternoon after several weeks' target practice and cruising up the east coast of Vancouver Island.

Drastic Amendment to British Motor Car Law

LONDON, March 17.—Plans for drastic revision of existing legislation covering motoring in Great Britain, are under consideration by the Government.

The proposed amendments provide severe penalties for infractions of the speed law and careless driving. The maximum penalty for driving while intoxicated is suggested as four months' imprisonment or a fine of $250 or both.

POWDER DEMAND SHOWS INCREASE

GIANT POWDER COMPANY OFFICIALS HERE—NO DECISION ON NANOOSE BAY ESTATE

Looks to Development of Its Production at James Island, Where Output Is Concentrated

In a country where stumping powder is a first essential to clear the forest, the importance of good cheap powder is recognized as of primary importance. Officials of the Canadian Giant Powder Company, now in affiliation with the Canadian Explosives Company, were in the city yesterday, including Col. G. Ogilvie, of Ottawa; Col. F. Leeach, of Vancouver, and Mr. E. W. Monk, general manager in British Columbia, also of Vancouver.

Mr. Monk claims that in spite of the increase in the cost of materials entering into construction the percentage of increase is smaller probably than any other essential commodity, as contrasted with pre-war prices. The special facilities afforded by the British Columbia Government through the Farmers' Institutes to buy cheap powder has been of great value in stimulating the clearing of land.

Nanoose Bay Estate

Discussing the property now idle at Nanoose Bay, where the company has a large freehold, with water supply three wharves, attractive houses, and several other amenities of life, Mr. Monk did not hold out any immediate prospect of its disposal. Since the plant was removed to James Island when the merger took place nearly two years ago, the estate has been idle. The company is disinclined, Mr. Monk explained, to sell it piecemeal for residential property, but has not yet found a buyer for its utilization for a first-class country hotel project. The estate overlooks the Gulf and Nanoose Bay, and the peninsula upon which it stands is traversed by a road connecting with the Island Highway.

James Island

In connection with the important plant at James Island, one of the largest industries in this neighborhood, Mr. Monk said the directors were looking forward to considerable expansion in production as compared with present output. In good times there should be a ninety per cent production of capacity, but as they were at about seventy per cent now, it was obvious that increased land clearing efforts and similar development would stimulate production.

Prince of Wales Reviews the Welsh Guards

The Prince of Wales Made His Usual Review of the Welsh Guards in Their St. David's Day Parade at the Aldershot Military Camp on March 1. Photo Shows the Prince of Wales, Right, Honorary Colonel, Arriving for the Review With the Colonel of the Welsh Guards.

Dean Quainton Suggests Films May Be Peril to Growth of World Peace

THE movies as a menace to the peace of the world, was a picture presented by the Very Rev. Dean Quainton in an address last night in the course of the grand Irish night celebration at the Centennial Church.

Speaking of the good work of the League of Nations and of the hope of banishing war from the world, Dean Quainton turned his attention to motion pictures.

Perhaps, he said, he was hardly qualified to discuss the movies since he only went to a movie about once a year. He was old-fashioned in some ways. He had no motor car and he still had his appendix. But he could see in the movies a danger. If Europe were to take all its ideas of America from the movies, believing the Americans to be a nation of cowboys staging hold-ups, a nation whose rich class were all lazy and corrupt, the divorcing of their wives constituting their chief occupation—that would conduce to an atmosphere of ill-will and suspicion and this condition would be provocative of war.

The Rev. J. P. Westman, pastor of the Centennial Church, introduced the speaker, remarking that "You would almost think he was Irish—with all the trouble he is getting into."

Welcomed with warm applause, the Dean roused the laughter of the audience by ironically remarking that he was in need of comfort because he was under a cloud—had been called a "contemptible mud-slinger."

It was a good thing that St. Patrick's Day should be celebrated. Racial antipathies died hard, he went on, humorously suggesting that the Scots might be forced to keep St. George's Day and make speeches in praise of the English; and that the English, in their turn, might be forced to celebrate St. Andrew's Day and to speak in praise of the Scots.

Who did not love the Irish, the Dean asked, for their humor—and none the less for their pugnacity—for their charm, their geniality, their mysticism and their utter inability to satisfy themselves?

Irish As Missionaries

The speaker depicted the manner in which the Irish missionaries had spread Christianity in the countries of Europe in the sixth and seventh centuries. Pointing to the good work accomplished by these missionaries in educating the people, Dean Quainton said that the Church had been interested in education before the State cared a snap of its fingers for that endeavor. Ireland had been known as the Island of Saints and the University of the West.

The world force in St. Patrick's Day had been the Roman Empire, declared the speaker, sketching the power of Rome in the third, fourth and fifth centuries and the dismemberment of the Roman Empire by the Huns, the Goths, the Franks, and so on. Rome herself had been threatened, and after the recall of the Roman legions from abroad for her defence, the Jutes, Angles and Saxons had descended upon the shores of Britain. And thus England had been started.

It was a little world in St. Patrick's Day. Australia—even America was unknown. In one sense the world was a large one today, but, in another sense, it was still a little one. He had only to remind his audience of modern inventions, the radio, the telephone, the aeroplane, to remind them how small the world really was. The health of one nation might affect the health of another, the Dean declared, as he dwelt on the manner in which present-day forces are linking the countries of the world together.

Broadening Down the Ages

"Have you ever noticed that the history of civilization has been the story of ever-widening associations of peoples, combining for protection and defence?" asked the speaker, pointing out that the movement had started in the dawn of history with the individual family group. As the ages rolled by the families had become communities and the communities nations and, finally, there had come into being a merging of peoples into a great comity of nations—the British Empire.

The logical outcome of this movement was something larger than the British Empire. "We must come in time to something approximating a world federation—a great political unity, based on a sense of internationalism," the Dean declared. "It must come or we will perish."

"We used to think we could not have civilization without war," he declared. "But now we are coming to see that we cannot have civilization and war."

Those who maintained that there would always be war, relied on the old argument of the natural pugnacity of man. He was not very much impressed by that argument. To be sure pugnacity was instinct in man—and in woman—but the human race must sublimate that pugnacity by turning it into higher channels. In attacking what he called erroneous ideas, he, the speaker, found an outlet for his pugnacious instinct. Let the scientist attack the problem of cancer; the educationist, ignorance; the flying man, the air.

"The argument does not hold water," the Dean averred.

People of the first and second centuries would have styled a proposal to do away with slavery preposterous, contending that they had always had slaves and always would. Polygamy had existed in the world for centuries—and had not yet entirely disappeared. There was America. Of course one could not have six wives all at once in America, but one could have six one after another.

"Tandem polygamy, I call it," declared Dean Quainton.

But the speaker believed in the educableness—if he might be permitted to coin a word, of the human race. Turning to the subject of the League of Nations, he designated this

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PRAISE OF IRELAND SOUNDED AT FEAST

Lord Oxford and Asquith and Mr. Ramsay MacDonald Are St. Patrick's Day Speakers

LONDON, March 17.—Praise of Ireland as a nation was the keynote of speeches at a St. Patrick's Day banquet in London tonight. Liberal supporters were the Earl of Oxford and former Premier Ramsay MacDonald.

Lord Oxford, disclaiming a drop of Irish blood in his veins, a distinction, he said, he shared with St. Patrick, recalled that his maiden speech in the House of Commons was on Ireland.

Irishmen and Scotchmen, he declared, had proved themselves the equals, if not the superiors, of their hereditary foes, the Englishmen, and he believed that the mass of the people in both Ireland and Scotland now were determined to promote reconciliation between the peoples who ought never to have been divided. He remarked humorously:

"The Irish are a fair people—they never speak well of one another. I am not sure that even now it is not a predominant characteristic of the race."

Scots' Strathspey King Is Dead in Aberdeen

ABERDEEN, Scotland, March 17.—James Scott Skinner, last of the fiddler-composers of Scottish dances, died here today aged eighty-three. Skinner, who was widely known as the "Strathspey King," visited the United States last year. He also toured the United States thirty-three years ago, but spent most of his life in Scotland. He played before royalty at Balmoral Castle and published many compositions. Skinner was a foe of jazz, which he said "Gets on your nerves and spoils your appetite." He preferred to play old songs, using an ancient instrument which was said to be more than 150 years old.

MODERN CRUISER CLYDE LAUNCHES IS AUSTRALIA'S

Makes Thirty-Four Knots Per Hour and Has Long Range—Commonwealth's Growing Naval Strength Notable

AUSTRALIA INTENDS TO BEAR SHARE OF BURDEN

High Commissioner Makes Declaration at Launching—Her Naval Expenditure Is Now $4.30 Per Capita

GLASGOW, March 17.—Australia is determined to bear her fair share of the cost of Empire defence, Sir Joseph Cook, the Commonwealth's veteran high commissioner in London, said at a luncheon which followed the launching today of His Majesty's Australian ship Australia, most powerful and efficient type of cruiser under the limitations of the Washington treaty.

The Australia took the water from the John Brown yards on the Clyde. Lady Cook performed the christening ceremony, while crowds lined the bank and airplanes circled overhead. When the vessel had slipped into the water, its unfinished hulk, potentially a slender but capable defender in time of need, represented the first popular evidence of Australia's new naval construction programme.

The Canberra, sister ship, is on the stocks at the same yards. Two big seagoing submarines are being built at Barrow, and a 6,000-ton seaplane carrier is being built in Australia.

The other feature of Australia's nautical forces of the next few years, is a floating drydock capable of accommodating the big cruisers, which is now being constructed by the New South Wales government, subsidized by the Commonwealth.

To Do Her Share

Sir Joseph pointed out that while Great Britain's naval expenditure this year was equal to $5.75 per capita, Australia's was $4.30 per capita. These figures showed that the Commonwealth was determined to bear her share of the cost of Imperial defence, he said.

While there was a universal aspiration for peace, there was nowhere yet any real sense of security, Sir Joseph declared. He welcomed the proposed naval limitation conference, hoping it would lead to a disarmament conference in which all the great nations would take part. Until this had come, he concluded, no country, least of all Australia, could afford to run the risk of attack because of lack of adequate defence.

"In this respect," he added, "the British Navy is the most potent force in the world for promotion of universal peace."

The Launching

LONDON, March 17.—H.M.A.S. Australia, first of Australia's two modern cruisers, embodying the latest designs of post-war cruiser construction, took the water today from the John Brown Works on the Clyde. Her sister ship, the Canberra, will be launched from the same yards later.

The Australia and Canberra are the most efficient and powerful of their class under the Washington Treaty, which limits auxiliary surface combatant craft to 10,000 tons displacement and armament of 8-inch guns. They are a distinct improvement on the Kent or County class, of which five cruisers are now being completed for the Royal Navy.

Their displacement, without fuel, is 10,000 tons. Eight-inch guns are the heaviest armament. These are of a new model, claimed to be as hard-hitting as some of the heavier battleship ordnance of pre-war days. The Australia will carry eight of these, twin-mounted in four barbettes, on the ship's centre line, two turrets forward and two aft. In addition she will carry a number of four-inch anti-aircraft guns. The designers, while limited to an extent of eight-inch guns in size, are free to adopt as many weapons as they like, providing, of course, that the displacement limit is not passed.

The Australia will have a speed of thirty-four knots an hour, and her broadside fire will be nearly twice the intensity of the old pre-war County class, with their more numerous six-inch guns.

Expense is the reason why the Australia and Canberra are being constructed on the Clyde instead of at Australia's own dockyard at Cockatoo Island, where cruisers and destroyers have been built and where the Commonwealth's 6,000-ton seaplane carrier is now being constructed. To have built the cruisers in Australia would have involved heavy capital expenditure and much delay, because Australia could provide only fifteen per cent of the material.

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Glasgow Town Clerk on Breeding Stock Imports

LONDON, March 17.—Sir John Lindsay, town clerk of Glasgow, was strongly criticized at a meeting of the Unionist Parliamentary Agricultural Committee in the House of Commons today for addressing a circular to members of the House on the importation of Canadian breeding cattle. Several speakers declared that whatever the merits of the question, the form of communication was an unjustifiable attack on the dairy herds of Canada. Sir George Stanhope, chairman of the committee, said the matter was made worse by the fact that the communication emanated from one of the most important cities in Britain.

U.S. Will Not Ban Use Of Gas and Bacteria In Practice for War

Military or Civil Drill in Use of Poison and Gas and Bacteria, Washington Declines to Ban as Crime—Airplane Drill With Same Weapons Also To Be Allowed

Chemicals Capable of Wartime Use Are Too Valuable in Peace to Be Discontinued

GENEVA, March 17.—The United States Government's note in reply to suggestions forwarded from the League flatly rejects the proposal to have banned as a crime military or civil drill, including airplane drill, in the use of poison gas and bacteria.

Whatever attitude the United States and the world eventually may adopt toward the employment of poison gas in wartime, League of Nations circles read from the document from Washington, presented to the League today, that the United States Government has no intention of dropping preparations for defence against possible poison gas and bacteria attacks.

In the memorandum which created considerable comment in Geneva, the United States throws cold water on the suggestion that the countries should discontinue their interest in chemical products because chemical factories can be transformed into war instruments.

Washington contends it is well known that a great majority of chemical products which can be used for military purposes in war time are essential to the daily peace time life of industry.

After emphasizing objections from the American viewpoint to the proposal to make international agreement concerning semi-war industries, Washington remarks that the same attitude applies to possible accords concerning means for hindering the convertibility of chemical factories into factories for the manufacture of poison gas.

HON. S. F. TOLMIE EAGER FOR FRAY

HE STATES THAT HE WILL DEVOTE HIS WHOLE POWERS TO WINNING VICTORY

Rumor That He May Then Transfer Leadership, He Terms "Absolutely False"

OTTAWA, March 17. — Reports have reached here that there are rumors in British Columbia that Hon. S. F. Tolmie would retire from the Conservative Provincial leadership. There is no foundation for such reports and tonight Hon. Dr. Tolmie issued the following statement:

"Having been informed that petitions are being circulated in Victoria for the purpose of inducing certain gentlemen to offer themselves as candidates in that city on behalf of the Conservative party at the next provincial election, and that statements are reported to have been made by some of those circulating these petitions to the effect that I am contemplating transferring the leadership of the Conservative party conferred on me at the Kamloops convention to another, and that I have made the statement that it is not my intention to accept or retain the premiership should we be successful in the next election, I wish to say most emphatically that I had no knowledge of any petitions being circulated in that constituency or any other in British Columbia, and that they are in no way authorized by me. Also that the reports referred to concerning my leadership are absolutely false in every respect.

"I wish to state further that, having given my word to the convention at Kamloops to accept the leadership, I propose to carry out my duties with energy and vigor, and to fulfil to the very best of my ability the spirit of that convention in all its details."

CHANG TSO-LIN ANSWERS SOVIET

AMUSING, HE SAYS, THAT MOSCOW SHOULD TALK OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

Around Nanking Cantonese Are Drawing Steadily In, Says Dispatch From Shanghai

SHANGHAI, March 17.—A wordy battle is going on between Peking and Moscow over the seizure of the Russian vessel, Paimiat Lenina, and the arrest of Mme. Borodin and three Soviet couriers. In a new note demanding the release of the couriers and the vessel, the Soviet government accuses White Russians of placing auspicious documents aboard the boat to afford a pretext for its seizure and conversion into a warship.

Marshal Chang Tso-Lin, war lord of the Northern Chinese armies, who has ignored the two previous Soviet protests, makes the charge that Russia not only has violated the Sino-Russian agreement, but has ignored international obligations by abetting the Nationalist movement at Hankow.

"Considering that Sino-Russian agreement of 1924, and all international codes are thrown to the winds by the very presence at Hankow of Michael Borodin and his fellows, who play such an important part in the denationalized nationalist movement," he says, "it is amusing and ridiculous that the Soviets should charge the Chinese with violation of international law."

LONDON, March 17.—There are ominous signs that the Cantonese net around Nanking is being steadily drawn in, says Sir Percival Phillips, noted war correspondent, in a dispatch to The Daily Mail from Shanghai. It seems certain, he adds, that the Cantonese have occupied Liahui, twenty-five miles to the southeast of Nanking, and established a line which apparently is sweeping down the right bank of the Yangtze towards Nanking.

Loan Companies Bill Given Third Reading

OTTAWA, March 17.—The Banking and Commerce Committee of the House approved today a clause in the bill amending the Loan Companies Act, making it compulsory for loan companies to obtain a yearly licence from the Minister of Finance.

Minister to Canada Meets Prince of Wales

LONDON, March 17.—Mr. William Phillips, the United States' new minister to Canada, met the Prince of Wales last night. The Prince, hearing that Mr. Phillips was passing through London, invited him to call at St. James Palace, and the two engaged in an hour's chat.

Mr. Phillips is on his way home from Belgium, where he had been the U.S. Ambassador.

Dr. Frederick Cook Is Released on Probation

FORT WORTH, Texas, March 17.—Probationary freedom for Dr. Frederick A. Cook, Arctic explorer and promoter, was granted here today by Federal Judge James C. Wilson, under a two-year-old federal probation law.

The order freeing Cook will be forwarded tonight or tomorrow to Leavenworth Penitentiary where Dr. Cook, who still claims to be the original discoverer of the North Pole, is serving a fourteen year sentence on charges of misuse of the mails for oil stock promotion.

Army of Landseekers Is Expected From U.S.

WINNIPEG, March 17.—"So soon as the snow disappears, a great army of landseekers, looking for farms on the Western Prairies, will come to Canada from the Central United States," said C. A. Van Scoy, head of the department of colonization of the Canadian Pacific Railway, here today.

Both raw and improved land is being sought, according to Mr. Van Scoy, the price of raw averaging about $15 an acre, and that of improved ranging from $20 to $50 per acre.

All-Canadian Labor Congress Now Exists

MONTREAL, March 17.—An all-Canadian Congress of Labor is now a definite entity with this official name. The Congress was formed here today, the second day's session of a convention in which practically all the Canadian labor organizations that have no international affiliations were represented by some 120 delegates. Approximately 110,000 workers will be members of the new body.

A resolution was adopted that all bona fide unions in Canada would be entitled to make application for affiliation with the Congress.

Decrease in Exports but Increase in Imports

OTTAWA, March 17.—Canada's export trade for the twelve months ending February was $1,218,837,309, a decrease of nearly $40,000,000 for the corresponding twelve months. Imports amounted to $1,021,209,071, an increase of over $100,000,000 for the previous year. For the year ending February duties collected was $157,452,728 and for the corresponding previous year $141,072,328.

Submarine Secrets Out Retired Officer Held

LONDON, March 17.—Fear of a possible leakage of secrets connected with Great Britain's biggest submarine are believed to have prompted the Admiralty to request the arrest of Lieutenant-Commander Colin Mayers, on the retired list of the navy. He was remanded in the Bow Street Police Court today charged under the Official Secrets Act with having in his possession plans and documents dealing with the submarine service. The case is so serious that the magistrate refused bail.

A Far Cry to Cherry Blossom Time in Japan

In addition to earthquakes, Japan has experienced this Winter in certain sections an unprecedented snowfall. According to advices received in Canada, snow has been so heavy in the district of Fukui, in Northern Japan, that railway traffic, other transportation facilities and power transmission have been completely interrupted. Heavy snowfalls which began in January have continued, and as far as the eye can reach every object is snowbound. Fukui is a silk weaving centre and serious interruption has occurred in the mills due to frequent interruptions of electric current. The accompanying pictures from Fukui are in striking contrast to the pictures of cherry blossoms or of earthquakes which are more frequently used to describe the Japanese landscape.

Jail in Nova Scotia Is Bought by Cobbler

LONDONDERRY, N.S., March 17.—Some months ago the municipal council decided that the local jail, which had not housed a prisoner in many years, was an expensive luxury. It was decided to sell it to the highest bidder. A local cobbler offered $35 and yesterday found himself in possession, the bidding competition being negligible. The jail was built in 1882, and is complete with iron bars and straw mattresses.

Friend—"What's the matter with you, Ras?"

Rastus—"Docta say veins too close together."

Friend—"I don' unastand no such talk."

Rastus—"Well, tha's what he say; he say, "Ras, you all trouble with very-close veins.' "—Making Paper.

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Choice Recleaned Currants, 2 lbs. for	
Del Monte Peaches, 2's, per tin	19c
Pork and Beans, large tin, regular 25c, for	
Gold Dust, large box for; Mixed Pickles, 16-oz. glass for	29c
Ginger Snaps, 1-lb. carton for; Vanilla Extract, per bottle	15c
Pride of B.C. Salmon, 2 tall tins for	25c
Empress Tomato Catsup, quart tin for	
Del Monte Prunes, large, 2-lb. carton for	
Ivory Gloss Starch, per box	11¢
Robin Hood Porridge Oats, large tube	25¢
Sperry's Pancake Flour, large pkg.	30¢
Malkin's Best Marmalade, 4-lb. tin	50¢
Holbrook's Worcester Sauce, per bottle	25¢
Empress Ceylon Tea, per lb. pkg.	60¢
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Boiled and Baked Ham, per lb.	59¢
Choice Sliced Bacon, per lb.	35¢
Swift's Pure Silver Leaf Lard, 1-lb. cartons	18¢
Fresh-Made Peanut Butter, per lb.	15¢
Choice Picnic Hams, per lb.	20¢
Delicious Ayrshire Roll, per lb.	35¢
Best Food Relish Spread, large jar	39¢
Fresh Dates, 3 lbs for; Chocolate Bars, 6 for	25c
Pippin Apples, 4 lbs. for; Mixed Candy, 2 lbs. for	25c
Choice Sunkist Oranges, 40c size, for	30¢
Fresh Hand-Rolled Chocolates, per lb.	30¢
Fresh Ripe Tomatoes, per lb.	25¢
New Fresh Asparagus, per lb.	45¢

Store Open Evenings Until 11 o'Clock for the Sale of Fruit, Butter, Bread, Eggs, Confectionery

PREPAID TAXES REACH $256,546

COLLECTIONS BY CITY STILL AHEAD OF CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR

Effort to Be Made to Bring About Payment of Consolidated Arrears —Building Encouraging

Prepaid taxes amounted to $256,546 when the city treasurer's department closed at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. This is an increase of $16,546 over the same period of last year.

Since legislation was secured amending the Municipal Act so as to provide for a one per cent discount per annum for payment of consolidated arrears, payments of these arrears in taxes are hiso coming in.

The amendment to the act provides a discount of ten per cent if consolidated arrears are paid up this year. The discount is reduced on a graduating scale of one per cent each year. So far $1,145 has been paid in consolidated arrears. There are some $300,000 owing the city in these taxes.

Treasurer Edwin Smith proposes to put on an aggressive advertising campaign to bring about further payments. Those owing the city money will be sent notices in which will be pointed out the advantage of paying the taxes ahead of the due date.

Some interesting figures also were issued from the building inspector's office. Construction so far this month in the city has surpassed the activities of the past four months. Value of buildings now being erected as represented by the building permits is $120,340. Total value of building permits taken out so far this year is $168,641.

Had Salt Rheum All Over Her Hands

Mrs. Herbert J. Mason, Grand Falls, N.B., writes:—"I had salt rheum all over my hands and especially between my fingers. It got so bad it was impossible for me to put them in water or do my housework. After trying many medicines and salves, that did me no good, I heard of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS being so wonderful, and after taking three bottles I am entirely relieved of my trouble. I am sure I can't recommend B.B.B. too highly to those who have salt rheum like I had."

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Mill Bay Solarium Treating Eighteen Crippled Children

ONLY opened for the reception of patients on March 1, the Queen Alexandra Solarium at Mill Bay has already entered into usefulness with eighteen little patients registered and undergoing treatment. The organization of this sanitarium for crippled children attained another important point yesterday with the appointment by the Department of Education of a teacher, Miss Hodgkins, who will begin her duties at once.

DEAN QUAINTON SUGGESTS FILMS MAY BE PERIL TO GROWTH OF WORLD PEACE

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organization "the greatest contribution the twentieth century has made to the civilization of the world."

The League was not perfect, but it had accomplished much, the Dean declared, pointing to its efforts in preventing five wars, lessening the spread of disease, restricting the traffic in women and children and the traffic in drugs, rehabilitating Austrian finances and in bettering the relations between capital and labor. Moreover, fifty-six nations had pledged themselves to arbitration.

Germany was now in the League. Formerly, her old enemies had carefully watched over her—checking her possessions in ships and troops and munitions of war. That had not been conducive to peaceful sentiments. But now Germany was watched over not only by her old enemies but by all the other nations as well. The time had come for us to trust Germany.

The Dean adjured his audience individually to do their best in the interest of peace, and to reject the attitude expressed by "I don't count." People should not create an atmosphere conducive to war by speaking of the inevitability of war. Likewise, they should drop racial prejudices, he said.

The church choir and the following soloists rendered musical selections during the evening: Mr. N. Redman, Miss G. Townsend, Mrs. S. M. Morton, Mrs. E. Parsons, Mr. P. Edmunds, Miss M. Humphries, Mr. G. A. Dawnard was conductor and Mr. E. Parsons accompanist.

Owing to unforeseen circumstances, Mr. B. C. Nicholas was unable to be present to deliver an address, the chairman declared.

PIPES ARRIVE FOR THE JUVENILE BAND

Eleven Sets of Instruments, All Donated by Private Individuals or City, Finest on Coast

Eleven sets of bagpipes, the gift of private individuals or of the city to the Juvenile Pipe Band of Victoria, reached the city this week, and already have been thoroughly tested by the young musicians who are to use them. Pipe Major Wallace, instructor of the band, declares that there is nothing on the Coast to equal them, either for appearance or sound. They are ebony, ivory-mounted, and will add considerably to the appearance of the band when on parade.

The pipes, with the exception of one set, have all been donated, one set being given by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, five sets by Mr. W. C. Nichol, three sets by the city, one set by Mr. C. F. Hill, and one set by Mr. Richard Henderson. The band numbers twelve pipers and eight drummers, but more than this now parade, and the younger boys not ready for pipes will go in the procession as torch-bearers.

Working Girl (to friend)—"Really good-looking sheiks are so scarce these days I think I oughta make mine do another year."—New York World.

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tralia does not manufacture armor-plate, guns, fittings, instruments or many other special items. The saving by construction in England is about $4,000,000.

With the completion of the two cruisers and the two submarines, and the scrapping of the old cruisers, the Royal Australian Navy will consist of the following:

Cruisers—Australia (flagship), 10,000 tons (1927; Canberra, 10,000 tons (1927).

Light Cruisers — Adelaide, 5,550 tons (1922); Brisbane, 5,400 tons (1916).

Seaplane Carrier, 6,000 tons (1927).

Flotilla Leader—Anzac, 1,670 tons (1917).

Destroyers — Stalwart, Success, Swordsman, Tasmania, Tattoo, 1,075 tons; Huon, Parramatta, Swan, Torrens, Warrego, Yarra, 700 tons.

Submarines—Oxley, Otway (1927).

Sloops—Mallow, Marguerite, Geranium, 1,250 tons; Cerberus, gunboat; Platypus, destroyer depot ship; armed patrol vessels.

Commodore George F. Hyde, R.A.N., is commander of the active Australian Fleet. He is an Australian who began his sea career in the merchant service and joined the Royal Navy Reserve as a cadet in 1896. As a lieutenant he served voluntarily for more than five years with the fleet, and in 1905 was transferred to the Royal Navy. Lent for duty under the Commonwealth Government in 1911, he has been in the Royal Australian Navy ever since.

Top Hat "Vicious"

Canon Donaldson, of Westminster, does not think too highly of top hats. He says: "The top hat is a vicious, vile, ugly symbol of the ungodly Victorian—hard, unyielding, uncomfortable and pretentious. It is responsible for much of the baldness of the late generation, which it typifies."

Canine Intelligence

A dog, with its throat injured, went alone recently to the hospital at the Blue Cross Charlton Kennels, at Shooter's Hill, London, S.E., and set up a howl at the door until it was admitted, when it received treatment and has recovered. Efforts to trace the dog's owner proved unsuccessful.

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War on Cats?

London recently completed a war on rats. Now London is likely to start a campaign against cats, for A. Moore Hogarth, Chairman of the College of Pestology, has said: "I believe that wandering cats are exceptionally good carriers of influenza, as well as other undesirable forms of life."

Melbourne's New Theatres

Plans are being prepared for the construction of a new picture theatre in Melbourne at a cost of £350,000. Plans are also under way for the erection of a second theatre in Melbourne with a frontage of 100 feet and a depth of 135 feet. The theatre will accommodate 1,000 people.

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Government Considers Peace River Telephone

OTTAWA, March 17.—The Government is considering building a telephone line in the Peace River country. This was the answer given to a series of questions by H. E. Spencer, U.F.A., Battle River, in the House this afternoon by Hon. J. G. Elliott, Minister of Public Works.

Canadians Have Little Sympathy for E. V. Sterry

TORONTO, March 17.—It was announced definitely today by E. L. Cross, counsel for E. V. Sterry, who was yesterday convicted and sentenced to sixty days in jail for blasphemous libel, that an appeal will be entered against the conviction and sentence, and that the case will be fought to the end.

All the financial aid that has been given to Sterry's cause and court battles has been supplied by supporters in the United States and in England, he stated, not one cent being contributed by Canadian followers.

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CITY TO AID IN CLEAN-UP WEEK

SPECIAL GARBAGE FACILITIES WILL BE PLACED AT DISPOSAL OF RESIDENTS

Campaign to Beautify City Will Get Off to Flying Start With Many Organizations Co-operating

Arrangements have been made by the Public Works Committee of the City Council to help in the Spring clean-up, paint-up campaign being conducted throughout Canada by the Dominion Bureau of Employment.

The campaign starts on Monday and will continue throughout the week. The City Council is asking that citizens do their full share in beautifying the city and ridding the lots of rubbish.

One week is given for the citizens to gather together all the refuse and following this the city garbage department, with increased equipment, will call around and pick it up. Two hundred dollars has been set aside by the Public Works Department for the special purpose of handling the increased volume of refuse.

During the week, commencing April 4, there will be no restrictions on what residents of the city may put into the garbage can. Everything and anything goes.

Co-operation is being given by adjacent municipalities, service clubs, the Chamber of Commerce, the Fire Underwriters, medical men and the city health department.

Special appeal is mdae to people to commence the annual Spring painting during the week and make the homes look bright, clean and prosperous. A special appeal also will be made for citizens to get busy on their gardens.

OAK BAY COUNCIL GIVEN ESTIMATES

Preliminary Figures Reach Total of $266,000 for Year—Increase of $13,000 Is Shown

Preliminary estimates for the year 1927 were placed before the Oak Bay Council at the regular meeting last night. Figures compiled by Clerk R. F. Blandy covering expenditures in the municipality reached $266,000 and showed an increase of $13,000 over last year.

Included in the estimates which are responsible for the increase is $5,000 covering the proposed new sea wall on Beach Drive and also several thousand dollars for the new addition to the Monterey Avenue School. After a short discussion the estimates were tabled until next week for consideration by a committee consisting of the council as a whole.

The council was informed that Constable W. Patterson had turned in his resignation, and it was decided to request the Police Commission to take on another man in his place. At first it was thought that the force might carry on with the chief and two constables, but the council decided it was in the best interests of the municipality to employ another officer.

A lot at the corner of St. Patrick Street and McNeill Avenue was sold to the City Brokerage for the sum of $300 and this year's taxes. A request from the Victoria Publicity Bureau for a grant of $1,000 was referred to the estimates committee for consideration. The plan of the Employment Service of Canada for a general clean-up and paint-up campaign received the endorsement of the council.

In the absence of Reeve Anscomb, Councillor E. C. Hayward occupied the chair.

UNSETTLED EUROPE STRIVES FOR PEACE

Old World Conditions Described by Professor Soward Before University League

"We must realize that we are far from the scenes of the recent war when we look upon conditions in Europe, which are an aftermath of the conflict," said Professor F. H. Soward, B.A., B.Litt., in an address on "Main Currents in Post-War Europe," delivered before the University Extension League yesterday evening. "It will take a period of sixty years to pay off war debts, most of which are due to the United States. England offered to cancel all her war debts in 1922 if America would." Professor Soward then went on to enumerate ways of liquidating these enormous sums. Speaking of gold as a medium of payment he said that there was not enough in Europe, and payment by goods was prevented by the American high tariff. Trade was passing from Europe to the new world, he said.

Professor Soward gave an outline of the Dawes Plan and spoke of the reduction of currency in Germany. "It is very hard for some of the nations to become reconciled," he said. "Much hate has been stirred up both during and after the war by various propagandist means. The Versailles Treaty is distasteful to Germany, but is held sacred by France."

Professor Soward enumerated ways and means being worked out by experts for the elimination of the manufacture of poisonous gases and armaments by the nations in seeking world peace. The next talk delivered before the University Extension League will be by Professor Wood, on "Tendencies of Modern Drama," April seventh.

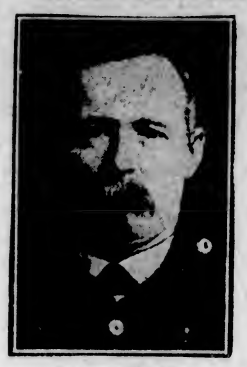
Portuguese Aviator Crosses in One Day

PERNAMBUCO, Brazil, March 17.—Major Sarmento Beires, Portuguese aviator, arrived at the island of Fernando do Noronha, off the Brazilian coast, at 10:15 o'clock this morning, having flown across the Atlantic from Portuguese Guinea.

LISBON, March 17.—Sarmento Beires, the Portuguese aviator, started at 6:11 o'clock last night from Bijafos, near Bolama, Portuguese Guinea, for a flight across the Atlantic Ocean to Port Natal, Brazil. He hopes to make the 1,716 miles in about twenty hours.

Major Beires left Lisbon March 2 on a ninety-day flight around the world.

Veteran of Northwest Rebellion Dies in East



MR. THOMAS DEAN

Former member of the Royal Grenadiers and veteran of the Northwest Rebellion of 1885, who died in Toronto this week.

Products Fair Exhibitors Will Meet on Monday

A SPECIAL meeting of exhibitors and manufacturers who are taking part in the Home Products Fair at the Armory during the week of April 25 to 30, will be held on Monday next, at 5 o'clock, in the lounge of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, when general details of the forthcoming exhibition here will be arranged.

The entertainment and features committee of the Fair, under the chairmanship of Alderman Joseph H. Clearihue, will present a number of suggestions concerning the programme to be provided, and the exhibitors will probably adopt some of these proposals.

Membership of Legion Shows Gradual Growth

Eleven new members were admitted to Pro Patria branch on Wednesday, one of whom was the winner of the attendance prize.

Comrade Chevalley reported on his visits to the hospitals where he found most of the comrades in good spirits and making progress, except Comrade Burnell, whose condition is critical, but not sufficiently so to prevent his paying immediate attention to the tobacco ration. Comrade Sinclair was allowed out for the first time and hopes are entertained that no further operation will be necessary. The deaths of Comrades Babbick and Martin were reported, and standing votes of condolence were passed.

Comrade Bowlt announced that a special smoking concert would be held on Saturday. He also reported on the successful entertainment provided for the children by members and the Women's Auxiliary.

A satisfactory financial report was presented by Comrade D. M. Campbell, and Comrade Gill outlined the activities of the ways and means committee.

The report of the United Ex-Service Social Committee contained particulars of the two functions for the month, a smoking concert under the auspices of the Veterans of France, Thursday, and a social gathering under the auspices of Britannia branch at a date to be announced later.

Unemployment Conference Suggested by Veterans

The problem of destitute ex-service men was considered by the Pro Patria branch of the Canadian Legion at a general meeting on Wednesday night, when the following resolution was moved by Comrade H. W. Hart and seconded by Comrade Godwin:

"That the Chamber of Commerce, service (not ex-service) clubs, business organizations, City Council and adjoining municipalities, be asked if they would be willing to take part in a conference for the purpose of endeavoring to find a solution of the increasing problem of destitute ex-service men."

The mover declared there was reason to believe that good would come of such a conference if the parties to it attended with the will to find a solution instead of a preconceived idea that nothing could be done. He said it should be left entirely to the bodies mentioned without interference from ex-service organizations, and that the conference should have power to name representatives of ex-service organizations if they wished to consult with them. "Give them a free hand. A contract was entered into between the service men and the public during the war; we have carried out our part of the contract, it is for the people to perform theirs now," he declared.

The resolution was passed unanimously without further discussion, and steps will be taken to try to arrange for a conference at an early date.

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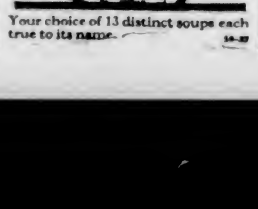

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Friday, March 18.

NIGHT-TIME LIQUOR STORES

The Liquor Board is now considering, on the basis of permissive legislation passed by the Legislature, the opening of a liquor store in Victoria and one in Vancouver for the sale of liquors at night-time. The object of night-time stores is to prevent the operation of "bootleggers" as far as possible. The Government has been unable to put an end to "bootlegging," so that it purposes to enter into competition with the illicit vendors. The experiment is dubious enough, but under rigid safeguards it may be made effective and accomplish, to some extent, the object that is desired. The Liquor Commissioner, in consultation with the Attorney-General, is now considering what are the hours at night-time during which such stores should operate. We hope there is no suggestion that they should be kept open until 2 a.m. That would be a distinctly retrograde step. Such stores should be open from the time the other liquor vending establishments close until 11 p.m., but no later. It does not require any extensive heart-searchings or arguments to arrive at a conclusion of this kind.

THE B.N.A. ACT

There is to be a conference between the Federal Government and the Governments of the various Provinces on the subject of amendments to the British North America Act. It is somewhat of a paradox that this move should be taken in the year in which Canada is to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of Confederation, and it may be pointed out, incidentally, that the conference has been decided upon to placate the views of a Labor member of the Federal House who is a supporter of the Liberal Government. There is no demand for it from any of the Provinces, and that is to say no demand in an official way. In agreeing to the conference, Mr. Lapointe, the Minister of Justice, has made it clear that the Balfour Report, which was the outstanding feature of the late Imperial Conference, has not changed, altered or modified the British North America Act.

The point is that no Province can enter such a conference as is proposed and do so with any authority unless it is first instructed by its Legislature. The question of amendments to the British North America Act has not been discussed with a view to reaching definite conclusions by any of the Legislatures of any of the Provinces of the Dominion. As a matter of fact, the Dominion Government itself will go to any such conference uninstructed by the Parliament of Canada. The best that such a conference could do is to formulate a set of amendments which must be agreeable to both the Dominion and all the Provinces and then have such amendments ratified by Parliament and the various Legislatures. Any request for amendments to the B.N.A. Act should be unanimous throughout the length and breadth of Canada. The proposal for a conference seems, to say the least, premature. Mr. Guthrie, the Conservative leader at Ottawa, is right in saying that there is no considerable body of opinion in the country which desires any changes. The people are well satisfied with the B.N.A. Act, which is no less the charter of liberty of the Dominion as a whole than it is of the provinces severally and individually.

PLAYING THE GAME

An American investigator for the Carnegie Foundation, one Dr. Howard J. Savage, has been making an inquiry into British and American sports. In a monograph he has issued on the subject, he confirms a generally accepted theory that Americans play games more for the sake of winning, whereas the British play more for the sake of playing. He notes that the paid coaches who are found everywhere in the United States are conspicuous by their absence in the British Isles, although he admits there are some teachers of cricket, track athletics and rowing. It is the case in England, according to Dr. Savage, that the games played at school continued to be played by those who engaged in them in after life, and this is done for the sport of the thing, or for the honor of their alma mater. He notes that three-quarters of the undergraduates of Oxford and Cambridge are engaged in sport of some kind.

Dr. Savage believes that the Englishman keeps up his sports longer than the American does because he believes more in keeping fit and he uses games and athletics to this end. The difference in the tendency of the two nations—for it is admitted that the American college student when he graduates very often ceases his sporting activities—is ascribed by Dr. Savage to the difference in climates. He says in this respect that "the somewhat enervating atmosphere of the British Isles has a good deal to do with the development of British sportsmanship, just as the limestone foundation of those islands has helped to make them the blood-stock cradle of the world." Dr. Savage does not appear to comment on the effect of the difference in the attitude of the two countries towards sport on character development. Perhaps he is too good an American to make an invidious comparison. As a matter of record there is no nation like the British whose character has been formed so much by sporting activities, and the sentiment of fair play which should govern these. That sentiment has been admirably expressed by Sir Henry Newbolt in a verse that is famous:

This is the word that year by year,
While in her place the school is set,
Everyone of her sons must hear,
And none that hears it dare forget.
This they all with a joyful mind
Bear through life like a torch of flame,
And falling fling to the host behind—
"Play up! play up! and play the game!"

LABOR DISPUTES

The British Ministry of Labor Gazette in its latest issue reviews the labor disputes of recent years. It is somewhat of an anomaly that during 1926 there should have been fewer industrial disputes in Great Britain than during the past forty years, but the time lost was far greater than in any other year. In 1926 there were 313 disputes, 2,721,000 persons were involved, and the working days lost were 162,780,000. The nearest approach to this unenviable record was in 1921, when there were 763 disputes in which 1,770,000 persons were involved, and when 85,870,000 working days were lost.

The Gazette, in dealing with unemployment and allowing for the usual seasonal increase in the last week in December, 1926, says there was a continuous improvement during the last four months of 1926. The percentage of unemployed was eleven at the end of January, 1926, and 9.1 at the end of April last. Regarding wage rates it is noted that there was an aggregate net increase of nearly £120,000 in the full time weekly wages of 420,000 working people and a net decrease of £81,000 in those of 740,000 people. The variations in the cost of living were influenced in the later months of 1926 by the increased cost of fuel and light. The index figure for January, 1926, was seventy-five, as compared with eighty at the beginning of 1925. It fell in the early months of last year until it was sixty-seven on May 1. The figure had reached seventy-nine on December 1 last, and had declined to seventy-five on January 1 of this year.

MR. CHURCHILL'S MEMOIRS

Mr. Winston Churchill's review of the war, and particularly of the Battle of Jutland, has given rise to a lot of controversy. Much of that controversy would possibly never have developed were it not for the fact that the writer again holds a position of the greatest prominence in the British Government of the day. On that account there are some who entertain the idea that Mr. Churchill is writing ex cathedra; or, in other words, with the sanction of the Government, whereas he is doing no more than expressing his own personal opinions. The Admiralty has announced that Mr. Churchill's book is not official and that the Lords Commissioners have and accept no responsibility for the statements and opinions expressed in it, and it is added that they do not necessarily share the opinions. Mr. Churchill himself in the preface to his book leaves no doubt on this point. He writes:

Finally I make it plain—though it is scarcely necessary— that for all the expressions of opinion and statements of fact which this volume contains, I am alone responsible. They do not profess to present the official views of the military departments; and they in no way commit the Government of which I am a member to endorsement or agreement. They constitute a personal judgment and record of events, which, though only ten years old,

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There is a hint that the time is coming when Quebec will fall into line with the Prairie Provinces, with the Maritimes and British Columbia in asking the Dominion Government for Better Terms. It is noted that in proportion to territory and population, Quebec has only half as many railways as Manitoba and Alberta. It is said that both the railway and immigration policies of the Federal Government have retarded progress in Quebec.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 5 p.m., March 17, 1927

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	39	48
Vancouver	38	44
Kamloops	30	48
Barkerville	20	32
Prince Rupert	34	50
Estevan	38	44
Atlin	4b	38
Dawson, Y.T.	4	16
Portland, Ore.	36	44
San Francisco, Cal.	50	56
Seattle	40	42
Spokane	34	42
Penticton	38	50
Vernon	13	45
Grand Forks	27	40
Nelson	36	43
Cranbrook	34	37
Calgary	10	22
Edmonton	4	18
Swift Current	8	14
Qu'Appelle	8	16
Prince Albert	10	20
Winnipeg	20	..

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, and cold at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair, with frost at night.

THURSDAY

Maximum	46
Minimum	39
Average	43
Minimum on the grass	35

Bright sunshine, 8 hours 42 minutes.
Rain, .88 inch.
General state of the weather, fair.

5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.89, wind, W., 18 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; wind, N.W., 6 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.94; calm; clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.88; calm; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.94; calm; fair.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.94, wind, N.W., 26 miles, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.90; wind, W., 14 miles, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.06, wind, S.E., 6 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.92; wind, S.E., 10 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02, wind, W., 22 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Not being an arboriculturist, and therefore knowing little or nothing about the nature and life of trees and shrubs, we hesitate about complying with the request of Captain Marston. The request of the Captain is that "by the power of your mind and pen, come to the rescue and do your utmost to prevent the continuation of this vandalism. The glorious elms in front of South Park School are gone. It makes the blood boil with anger at those who were responsible. Those trees were planted and tended carefully by the broad-minded old-timers and have recently been destroyed in the height of their glory."

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The parks and the boulevards of the city have been placed in charge of skilled arboriculturists, men who presumably thoroughly understand their business, and who therefore must have had what they considered substantial reasons for destroying the old elms in the height of their glory. No man who has made a study of trees, and therefore must love them, would wantonly cut down elms in the fulness of their life and in the height of their glory.

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Possibly we shall be told why the trees in front of the South Park School were cut down. Nature unadorned and untrimmed is always attractive to the eyes of persons of a conservative disposition, but Nature, while she has a wonderful faculty for healing wounds and obliterating scars, is not invariably neat and tidy in her methods. The scientific arboriculturist is always neat and tidy in his methods. It is his business to cut and trim and keep luxuriant growths in order and within bounds. And when trees become decrepit as the years pass over their heads and age affects their comeliness, the remorseless and practical arboriculturist cuts them down and casts them into the fire.

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There are some things in the system or the philosophy of the supervisors of the parks and boulevards of Victoria that we admire and some things that we deplore. We have more than once deplored the treatment of the trees upon our boulevards. Instead of being permitted to grow and develop and expand in their natural beauty, the trees are subjected to an annual mutilation. The consequence is that instead of being permitted to become what Nature intended them to be, they are what a gifted writer has described as "blurbs" upon the streets. Instead of being a delight to the eye they are an offence to the senses of anyone who appreciates the charm of trees in their naturally fully developed state.

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But there is a reason for the annual treatment to which the unfortunate trees upon the boulevards are subjected. The unfortunate trees are the victims of circumstances and environment. The convenience of the people who live upon the streets is considered of more importance than the looks of the trees which have been planted upon the boulevards. If the trees were permitted to flourish in accordance with their natural inclination they would interfere with the wires which have been strung upon every street and telephone communication would be interrupted. The people of this modern world could not be expected to successfully pursue happiness and thoroughly enjoy life if they were prevented by the trees from holding constant communication with their neighbors and with the stores and shops which supply them abundantly with the necessaries of existence. Therefore both for business reasons and for social reasons the boulevard trees must not be permitted to interrupt wire communications. That is the condition of affairs as explained to us by the chief arboriculturist of the city; and it seems to be a very reasonable exposition.

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Considering the situation from a comprehensive and unbiased point of view, we believe the city has been well served by its corps of skilled arboriculturists and gardeners. Comparing the condition of our parks, streets and public places with the condition of the same places a number of years ago, the unprejudiced observer and critic must admit that the officials in charge of those institutions have cut and trimmed to some purpose. Beacon Hill Park was a very attractive place in its natural state; it is an extraordinarily beautiful place in its partially artificial state. It is sometimes said that art cannot embellish the work of Nature. Anyone who remembers what our principal park looked like a quarter of a century or so ago and knows what it looks like today should agree with us in saying that in one case at least art has succeeded in embellishing the work of Nature.

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And yet it is possible that those in authority in Victoria also may, like the boulevard trees, be the victims of environment. The natural life of this part of the world is so abundant that we may have lost all reverence for it and think the obvious thing to do is to destroy it. The woods which at one time adorned the continent of America are said to be "making their last stand in the West." Authorities tell us that the forests of Vancouver Island will all be cut down within the space of a quarter of a century, they are falling so fast before the axe of the woodman. Therefore within that space of time our successors may be singing with feeling the verses of the old song, "Woodman, spare that tree; touch not a single bough."

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

The British in India

Sir,—The criticism in your Sunday issue by Colonel Simonds of the book, "The Christ of the Indian Road," should finally settle this controversy in the minds of your readers, and I submit it was Dean Quainton's duty to have applied a similar analysis before broadcasting the book from pulpit or platform; so we are back again to where we started with Mr. Barteman's first letter of protest.

Your paper reaches some of the far corners of the earth and the officially unrepudiated statements credited to the Dean of Columbia will be eagerly seized upon by our enemies and used as evidence against us. Because I respect my country and my race and know the statements to be lies I raised my voice in protest. Had I been a foreigner I should have done the same through love of justice and fair play.

For every mistake a British administration may make there are hundreds of good things they do and we have every reason to be proud of the ultimate result. Owing to a serious mistake by a misguided British Government in the treatment of their own people the great Republic to the South of us was brought into being, a mistake with which the bulk of the British people were not in sympathy, and that mistake is enlarged and magnified and used to damn any and every British Administration as being a typical example of the work and methods of the British nation as a whole! Have you ever stopped to think that if the American colonists had not been British with their natural love of fair play they would not have rebelled? Were not the French colonists in Canada treated worse by their own Government?

The Britisher who belittles his own race is like the man who besmirches his mother's chastity by throwing doubts on his father's identity; so let us have none of it in Canada. But for that one unfortunate mistake, which I refer to above, and for which nobody suffered so much as the British themselves and thereby learnt an everlasting lesson, the whole of North America (including the Monroe doctrine!) would have been part of the British Empire. Let no one in Canada be guilty of an act that would cause a further curtailment of our Empire or cause further irritation to our neighbors across the border.

Colonel Simonds offers a word of advice to young Canada"; let me supplement it. To those who, like myself, are of British descent, I say you have every reason to be proud of your race and its record. Strive to maintain and improve it. To those of you who are of foreign descent I say you are now under British laws and must respect them. To both of you I say, work together for the good of your country, put your best into it and avoid discord so that when you die you will leave a better country and not a worse one to your children. Study the best traditions of the British and not the worse. If you must throw anything throw bouquets and not mud.

The motto of the British Administration in India is "Heaven's light our guide," and is not the motto that would be adopted by a race of oppressors, and I am of opinion that if you moved all the clergy and missionaries out of India the work of Christ would still go on, for I am impressed with the idea that Christianity is not so much a religion as a behavior. If a religion, why so many "churches" or sects? Was there not only one church or sect at the beginning? It seems to me that Christ's teaching was mainly as regards behavior. If I am right then a Christian Hindu and a Christian Moslem appear to be possible and therein will lie the solution of many difficult problems.

The Anglican Church (known in other parts of the Empire as the Church of Ireland and the Church of England) is not holding the position it should, as it is part of the original Christian church and anything that tends to lower it still further must at all costs be avoided. Dean Quainton is credited with having broadcast from pulpit and platform statements that are false and defamatory and tend to bring our church into disrepute. He has had this pointed out to him and his letter to me hinting that he had been wrongly reported was not the letter I had a right to expect from a man in his position, unless it was absolutely untrue. Only because of my idea of honesty towards you and your reporter and because the matter was one of public interest and you had granted me the courtesy of space for my first letter, did I send you a copy of my reply to the Dean. The Dean's letter published in your columns is far from being either a withdrawal or a refutation and the matter cannot be left in this state. If the Dean still remains silent after Colonel Simonds' article and no further action is taken it will be to the everlasting disgrace of the Anglican community here.

I would like to thank the kind people who 'phoned and wrote to me their appreciation of the stand I took in the letters you were good enough to publish. I am unable to reply personally as I should wish. One, an old lady of 84, sends me the enclosed poem by a native Indian judge, written in 1916, which, if you have room to publish, will go far to show your readers how an educated Indian, whose opinion really matters, appreciates the British Administration of India.

C. R. HODGINS,
Late Col., late R.A.

Colwood, B. C., March 16, 1927.

(The poem mentioned in the concluding paragraph of the above letter will be published.—Editor).

Many Slavic Immigrants Arriving in Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, March 17.—More than 1,000 immigrants arrived in Winnipeg this morning over the Canadian National Railways on two special trains, one at six o'clock and the other at nine. Eight families under the 3,000 family scheme are included in the party. Passengers from the steamer Regina number 496, and are divided as follows: British 160, Poles 143, Czecho-Slovaks 94, Jugo-Slovaks 51, Germans 32, Rumanians 9, Norwegians 3, Russians 3, Lithuanians 1. Twenty-seven go to British Columbia. From the steamers Arabic and Drottingholm are 531 passengers of fourteen nationalities, with the Hungarians in the majority. Twenty go to British Columbia.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

So many rooms in life's great house wherein the soul may go,
bright rooms where sun and song carouse, dim rooms where lights are low;
gay rooms to all the world thrown wide, decked out for men to see,
and gracious chambers where abide the joys of memory. But in
my house of life one room surpassing all the rest; there beauty lingers, and perfume; a place supremely blest.
There song's enchantments never cease and softly, hour by hour, the
harmonies of perfect peace across the stillness flower. For in that sweet
and sunlit place, though all the world divides us hand from hand and face from face, your presence still abides.
In life's great house my soul can go a-roving, room by room; but in that
spot alone I know such loveliness and bloom.

IN LIFE, IN DEATH

(A tribute from a native to the justice of British rule in India.)

Oh England, in thine hour of need
When Faith's reward and valor's meed
Is death or glory;
When fate indites with biting brand
Clasped in each warrior's stiffening hand
A nation's story.
Though weak our hands which fain would clasp
The warrior's sword with warrior's grasp
On victory's field;
Yet turn, oh mighty master, turn
Unto the million swords that burn
To be thy shield.
Thine, equal justice, mercy, grace
Have made a distant alien race
A part of thee.
T'was thine to bid their souls rejoice
When first they heard the living voice
Of Liberty.
Unmindful of their ancient name
And lost to honor, glory, fame,
And sunk in strife;
Thou found'st them whom thy hand hath made
Men, and to whom thy breath conveyed
A nobler life.
They whom thy love hath guarded long
They whom thy care hath rendered strong
In love and faith:
Their heartstrings round thy heart entwine,
They are, they ever will be thine,
In life, in death.

Written in 1916 by Nizaient Jung, Judge of the High Court of Hydrybad, India.

Mr. W.—"Our budget has a deficit of a hundred and fifty dollars."

Mrs. W.—"How shall we spend it?"—Life.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 18, 1877)

Improvements—The falsity of Mr. De Cosmos' mischievous dispatch respecting the abandonment of railway surveys and work having been demonstrated by the arrival of the official copy of the Canadian estimates, we hear that a large number of buildings, principally private residences, are projected. Nine or ten are under contract already. A builder gives it as his opinion that there will be from 75 to 100 dwellings of a good class put up within the city limits during the coming season.

St. Patrick's Day—Yesterday, the anniversary of the birthday of Ireland's Patron Saint, high mass was performed at St. Andrew's Cathedral. Before the service and it its close, "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning" was performed on the organ by Miss Kelly.

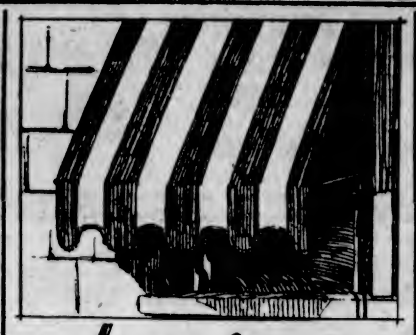
Arrived—The steamer Enterprise arrived yesterday at 2:15 p.m., with the following passengers: Mrs. Irving, Capt. Odlin, Messrs. Irving and Prenor.

Contest in Dublin Over Tammany Estate

DUBLIN, March 17.—Depositions were taken here yesterday in a resumption of the contest over the estate of the late Richard Croker. The contest is being waged between the children of the late Tammany Leader and his widow, Mrs. Bula Croker. She contends that Mr. Croker was domiciled in Ireland, while his children are contesting the disposition of certain property in Florida, on the ground that his home was in Florida.

Frederick H. Jermyn, a Dublin architect, was the first witness called, by William H. Norman, special commissioner who is taking evidence in behalf of the Florida court.

The architect told of Mr. Croker's telling him once that he "wanted to go back home to Ireland."



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Oldest Commons Member Dies in London at 81

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Yours truly,
JAMES BRYCE.

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Prince William of Sweden To Cancel Rest of Tour

DES MOINES, Ia., March 17.—Prince William of Sweden, arrived here yesterday on the verge of a physical breakdown and has been advised by his manager, Thomas Burke, to cancel the remainder of his American lecture tour, The Register says.

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Obituary

LYNCH—The funeral of Miss Minnie Gordon Lynch took place from the residence, 601 Trutch Street, at 4 p.m. yesterday. Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, assisted by Rev. Gordon Dickie, of Vancouver, conducted the service. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Colin C. Cochran, George A. Cochran, Francis F. Fatt, O. J. Gould, Harry Richmond, of the C.P.R., representing the R.I.E. & F., and Philip J. Hall, representing the Order of the Eastern Star. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

FERGUSON—The funeral of Mrs. Mable Annie Ferguson took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Clem Davies officiating. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. W. H. Hughes, G. W. Stott, A. J. Maynard, L. A. Grogan, W. C. Winkel and Robert Morrison. Interment was in Ross Bay Cemetery.

KUSUMI—The death took place on Wednesday evening at St. Joseph's Hospital of Asako Kusumi, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Yasujiro Kusumi, 2721 Bridge Street. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. Y. Oguri will officiate and the body will be forwarded to Seattle for cremation.

WILLE—The funeral of James Edward Gordon Wille, sixteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo E. Wille, who died at the family residence, 118 Beechwood Avenue, last Monday, took place yesterday afternoon, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 1:45 o'clock and services being conducted at the Victoria Hall, Blanshard Street by Mr. Robert Hamilton and Mr. R. McDonald. The pallbearers were Messrs. K. Reid, D. McIntosh, E. Horde, W. Perdu, J. Loudon and W. J. Hamilton. Mr. W. Ainslee officiated at the graveside at Ross Bay Cemetery.

YOUNG—The funeral of Mary Ellen Young, wife of Colonel T. F. Young, V.D., was held on Thursday from the family residence to Somenos Church, where services were held at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. A. Bischlager officiating. Interment was made in the churchyard.

MARTIN—The funeral of William Charles Martin, who died at Tranquille, B.C., on March 14, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. F. C. Chapman will conduct the service at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, Quadra and Broughton Streets. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

U. C. T. to Meet

United Commercial Travellers, Victoria Council 434, will hold the annual meeting in the K. of C. Hall, Government Street, on Saturday, March 19, at 7:30 p.m.

Scandinavian Art Has Definite National Bias

Professor Paul Boving, of University of British Columbia, Shows Wherein Lies International Appeal of Northern Literature and Painting

In combining two apparently conflicting factors, an international appeal and a national bias, Scandinavian art possesses the characteristic of all great art, Professor Paul Boving, University of British Columbia, told an audience at the New Thought Temple last evening.

Professor Boving's address, given under the auspices of the Arts and Crafts Society, with Mr. T. S. Gore in the chair, and Mr. T. Bamford subsequently moving the vote of thanks, dealt with the whole subject of Scandinavian art in a comprehensive way. Sculpture, painting and literature, however, occupied the major part of his time, and at the last he was unable, owing to the lateness of the hour, to touch more than briefly upon the music, drama and architecture of the Northern countries under review.

Introducing his subject, the lecturer quickly defined some of the differences between the Swedish, Norwegian and Danish peoples whom the world groups under the general name of Scandinavian. In these differences might be found the key to the lines of definition in their art.

The Swede was pictured as conservative, courtly, extravagant, a lover of nature and her image in art; the Dane was shown as rational, free and easy, saving, indifferent to outward appearance, genial and humorous, a student of social problems, a gifted conversationalist whose chief amusement was the study of his fellow man; with the Norwegian the idea was of more importance than the fact, and in respect of his individualism he stood as the extreme Northern type, often—though not always—severely simple in his physical needs, vigorously independent, luxuriating in the wealth of his dreams.

Character Contrasts

"The Swedish character may best be studied as man in his relation to nature; the Danish, man in relation to his fellow man; the Norwegian, man in relation to his ideals," summarized Professor Boving in this connection. Like the Britisher and the American of North Sea stock, the Northmen were rational and practical, well endowed with what was generally known as "common sense." At the same time the Northman was probably more dreamy, more idealistic, than the English-speaking peoples. Art-loving, for thousands of years, he had been expert in the carving of wood and stone, given to weaving tapestries, reciters of sagas and fairy tales, singers of ballads.

Some of the great Scandinavian sculptors and painters were named, among the former, Thorvaldsen, Sinding, Hasselberg, and Molin; among the latter, Zorn, Carl Larsson, Hans Gude and Kroyer. Among the great names in literature were Hans Christian Andersen, Ibsen, Bjornsen, Strindberg, Heidenstam, Lagerlof. Musicians included Edward Grieg, Christine Nilsson, Ole Bull, Sibelius. Artists in weaving and design were Gerhard Munthe and others. Architects were Ferdinand Boberg, who with his wife, Anna Boberg, and Gustaf Fjaestad, had contributed to the art output of Scandanavia with exquisite designs from the sagas as well as from modern tales.

Beauty in All

"Scandinavian artists are not infrequently artisans also, who beautify every object of utility," the speaker reminded his audience. Thorwald Bindesboll was one of the first among Danish artists who, like Ruskin, strove to beautify the commonplace. After Andersen's fairy tales, one of the most effective advertisements Denmark had received in foreign lands had been through the Royal Copenhagen porcelain. Bertel Thorvaldsen, a Danish sculptor, of Icelandic extraction, was known to most educated people the world over. Carl Jacobson's was named as one of the finest collections of statuary in Europe.

Scandinavian Painting

It was shown by Professor Boving that although the history of painting in Scandinavia had no venerable past, the making of pictures, nevertheless, had made wonderful progress in recent years: Norway and Sweden, particularly, had expressed their national temperament in their paintings.

Broadly speaking, the art of the three lands, taken together, was characterized by a freshness and sincerity that needed no apology for "the engaging provincialism which is sometimes present."

"More narrowly considered," continued the speaker, "each of the three Scandinavian groups is sharply defined by its national peculiarities. Norwegian art is often rugged and ruthlessly introspective, whether the subject be a mountain or a human face. Swedish painting expresses a fondness for landscape and country scenes, for high but harmonious coloring, pulsating with the joy of life. The pictures of the Danish school are characterized by figure compositions, often humorous, and depicting the cosy home life of this democratic nation."

Line of Cleavage

"Between the art of Sweden and that of the other Scandinavian countries there are sharp lines of cleavage," said the lecturer. This was apparent in comparing typical natural landscapes; in Denmark, tranquil, smooth-trunked beech forests or undulating pasture lands, the villages built of plastered brick, and storks' nests in the church towers; in Norway, sombre spruce and grim, gray-ribbed mountains; in Sweden, green hillsides and sparkling lakes, groves of white birch with graceful branches, and gay red farm houses. Even the Swedish peasant dress was usually brighter and richer in red than the Norwegian or the almost extinct national costumes of Denmark. Consequently there were missed in the Swedish painting the refined grey tones and genial humor of the Danish, while there was also less of the seriousness and aggressive individualism which is found in the Norwegian. Instead, there was discovered a fondness for color almost as harmonious as that of the Italians. Also, Sweden's artists had, with infinite attention to form and finish, developed a higher degree of technical skill, giving their paintings a more stylistic grace and cosmopolitan effect than that of the sister or brother countries.

Northern Literature

Coming to Scandinavian literature, Professor Boving gave the following general idea of the background which inspired the rich outflowing of poetry and prose from the northern countries:

"Northern literature has a different background, a different system of imagery from that of most other European literatures. Behind the latter and their thin veil of Christian thought gleam the glory that was Greece and the greatness that was Rome and the glamour that was Hebrew mysticism." When the mediaeval scribes of Britain, France and Italy were writing commentaries of the classics and lives of the saints, a pagan literature "that knew not Homer nor Aristotle and neither the law nor the Prophets," was producing poetry and prose to Odin and Thor, Baldor and Freya. The Eddas and Sagas might not be compared in elegance, lucidity or workmanship with the masterpieces of antiquity, nor perhaps in majesty and exaltation with Hebrew and Christian literature, but they excelled both in passages of passionate intensity and in terse or graphic brevity.

Stanzaic verse was a common mode of expression among the Scandinavian peoples at a time when the barriers of dialect were not appreciable, when the skalds or bards of one country were accepted and easily understood by the peoples of the other.

Poetry culminated in the tenth century. Prose matured later than verse, being perfected in the Icelandic sagas of the Thirteenth Century and in the history written by the Danish monk, Saxo Gramaticus.

Dramatic and Reflective

"Besides directness and vividness, the literature of the North has inherited from the folk-tale the two characteristics that are its most striking attributes, the dramatic and reflective," the audience was told. In their literature, it was not the action that delighted the Northern mind as much as the unfolding of the personality through action. Whether in the Eddic lays or in the ballads, there could be traced "the spirit of brooding introspection, dark, true and tender."

Among modern Scandinavian writers, Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian, was mentioned as the best known abroad. But Professor Boving drew attention to another great name, that of the Danish-born Jew, Edward Brandes, who, "writing at Copenhagen, heralded a new age of letters, coming as a chastening rod, maintaining that Scandinavian literature was nearly dead, had become too artificial, too remote from life." Literature, Brandes had argued, should be a free and fearless presentation of burning issues, it must be passionate, artistic, even imaginative, but true to the scientific principles of the age, and based upon objective observation.

This man had raised a storm of protest so strong that he was denied a chair at Copenhagen University; but he had been only a few years in advance of the great European movement toward realism, and in the course of time his views won great popularity, and he quickened the whole of Northern literature, not only in Denmark, but in Sweden and Norway, ultimately exercising a tremendous influence on world literature in general.

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OTTAWA, March 17.—The report that some 2,500 cars of grain were held back from forwarding to the Pacific Coast owing to congestion at that point and for lack of shipping, was dealt with in a statement tabled in the House of Commons yesterday by Hon. Fernand Rinfret, Secretary of State.

"The Canadian National Railways management," stated Mr. Rinfret, "reports that on account of the large volume of tough and damp grain moving to Vancouver, and the limited drying facilities, it was necessary to inaugurate some system for the purpose of avoiding blockade of grain." He added that "the control of the situation is not in the hands of the Canadian National Railways, but rather in the capacity of the elevator to dry and handle shipments and also the number of available ships."

CLUBMEN TO AID SOLARIUM HERE

Rotarians Will Endow Bed for Crippled Children—To Hold Superfluity Sale Soon

The Victoria Rotary Club decided yesterday to conduct another Superfluities Sale this Spring, probably next month, and named Rotarian Walter Tuck to superintend a committee to complete arrangements. The organization will endeavor to secure use of the Public Market or the Armories for the undertaking. Members of the club expressed their confidence that the ladies of Victoria would heartily support the proposal with unrequired goods found in the progess of Spring cleaning.

From the profits of the Superfluities Sale, the Rotarians will endow for one year a bed at the Solarium for crippled children at Mill Bay, the club voting a donation of $250 for the maintenance of a bed for twelve months, this amount being the estimated cost of keeping one child for one year.

The second charge on the said profits will be a contribution of $250 to the building fund of the Young Women's Christian Association. Profits remaining will provide a fund for other charitable gifts by the club, to be considered and recommended by the executive committee.

Rotarians Ernest Day, Jack Gardiner, Edmund Woodward, R. T. Murphy and P. B. Schmeelk took part in an acquaintance stunt. The Rotary Orchestra rendered a musical programme.

Search for Nishimura Has Touch of Comedy

VANCOUVER, March 17.—A touch of comedy was added Wednesday to the serious search for Isaku Nishimura, who has been missing since Monday and who is believed by his friends to have been murdered.

Before reporting the disappearance of Nishimura to the police, friends made a careful search and in the 700 block, Powell Street, in a vacant lot, found what appeared to be a grave.

Detectives A. Imlah and F. Lester headed an exhumation party and a number of Japanese with shovels and picks did the excavating.

After digging for several minutes the tools of the workmen thudded on some object buried a few inches in the ground.

Removing the earth with their hands the workers finally uncovered a cloth-covered bulk which had all the appearance of a body but turned out to be a mattress.

Search for Nishimura is being continued. It is reported that several years ago he disappeared and was located at Victoria. Queries at Victoria have failed to locate him.

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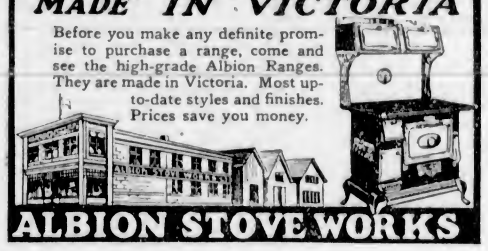

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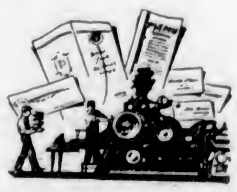

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Ward Seven Liberals

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City & District

Accident Victims—Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson, who were injured on Wednesday when struck down by an automobile, are reported well on the road to recovery at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Chamber Meetings Today — Two meetings of Chamber of Commerce bodies will be held today. The board of directors of the chamber will hold a luncheon session in the Chamber Cafe at 12:15 p.m., and at the same time and place the tourist group will conduct a luncheon gathering.

Police Commission—A meeting of the City Police Commission will take place today at 4 p.m., in Chief of Police John Fry's office at the Police Station, Fisgard Street. Among matters that will be considered will be certain traffic proposals sponsored by Commissioner Walter E. Staneland.

Three Months in Jail — A sentence of three months' imprisonment was imposed on Wilfred Jenkins by Magistrate George Jay in the City Police Court yesterday, for stealing an automobile rug. A plea of guilty was entered by the accused, who was brought into police headquarters on Wednesday by Detectives Marcus Phipps and William Stark.

To Construct Bunkers—It is announced that the Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, which operates the Cassidy Mine on Vancouver Island in connection with the Anyox smelter, will establish bunkers at its wharf at Hilaney. Recently the company entered the distribution service for domestic coal, and by its latest move will be in a position to ship its domestic trade offerings more economically.

Boys' Band to Play—The Navy League Boys' Band will play, weather permitting, in Beacon Hill Park on Sunday afternoon from three to half-past four. The band had a most enthusiastic reception at the Columbia Theatre last night. The Sunday concert in the Park will be one of the last opportunities for the Victoria public to hear the band before its departure for the Old Country in the middle of April.

With the Ex-Service Organizations

In Victoria and District

Smoking Concert

A smoking concert was held in the Veterans of France clubrooms last night, with representatives from almost every ex-service unit in the city in attendance.

Comrade George Green, president of the Veterans of France, occupied the chair. A programme was rendered with some of the leading artists of the city giving their services.

Mothers' Union to Meet

On Friday, March 25, at 3 p.m., the Mothers' Unions of London, England, will meet at Westminster Abbey. At the same date at the same time the Mothers' Union of Victoria will meet in the Memorial Chapel, Memorial Hall, Vancouver Street.

Billboards and Shacks Defacing Rural England

LONDON, March 17.—Billboards, unlovely shacks and factories are spoiling some of the finest scenery in England. As a consequence protests are being made in many places in England, Wales and Scotland. In some counties whole districts are up in arms and a society for the preservation of rural England has just been formed.

Welshmen have been properly proud that they possessed, between Swansea and the Mumbles, one of the most glorious stretches of scenery in the neighborhood of any big town. It is now slurred by quantities of the ugliest shacks imaginable. The better part of the county of Somerset is afraid of the results of the numberless ugly little bungalows dotted about anywhere and everywhere. East Hailey is offended by groups of mushroom houses erected on some of the most salient and beautiful landscapes. The new main road to Folkestone is flanked by little groups of shacks and advertisements, such as one has never seen in England before.

Village after village, in a complete circle around London, as well as in remoter counties famous for their scenery, are being spoiled by extensions of bungalows along the road; and this "ribbon development," as it is now called, has every objection, both sanitary and artistic.

It will be the chief object of the new society to prevent this type of outrage, which is out of the control of the Government.

The Government, on the other hand, is taking energetic steps to preserve Britain's forests. During the season which has just commenced and will last until April or May, the Forestry Commission expects to add 22,000 acres to the 71,100 they have already planted with trees. Meanwhile the older plantations are reaching a stage when they have a scenic value. The Crown Forests, Sherwood, Rockingham High Peak, etc., have been extended and replanted to the extent of 50,000 acres, which will probably be increased to 100,000 acres in 1929.

Hosts at Dance

Captain P. R. M. Wallis, M.C., officers, N.C.O.'s and men of No. 4 Company, 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment, were hosts at a dance on Wednesday evening at the Armories. Among the guests present were Major D. B. Martyn, D.S.O., officer in command of the regiment, and Major Sargent, Adjutant.

Music supplied by the orchestra was augmented by the pipes for old Scottish dances.

Supper was served, following which Major Martyn complimented the regiment both on their military efforts and the social function.

A young solicitor tried hard to give himself the appearance of being exceedingly busy. During his absence from his office he always left a card on the door marked: "Will be back in an hour."

On his return one day he found written underneath: "What for?"

Mr. Rowland Rispin, of Alvaston, Derbyshire, has completed a miniature calendar for 1927, which is claimed to be the smallest of its kind in the world. The calendar can be covered by a three-penny piece, but it is so clear that it can be read quite easily without the aid of a magnifying glass.

"Mikado" Presented Here With Effective Pageantry

Unusual Production of Ever-Popular Comic Opera by D'Oyly Carte Company—Fine Scenic Effects and Costuming Mark Production

The Mikado has been played in this city on many occasions but never has it been presented as it was last evening by the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company on the occasion of its second visit to Victoria. The company comes, as it were, fresh from the very presence of the composer and librettist of the Gilbert-Sullivan operas; the entire cast sings and acts this best of all their collaborations with a spontaneity and humor that could only come by inherited association and the advantages of being members of an aggregation originally trained directly under the three persons who made these operas world famous.

The combination was that of the composer, the librettist, and D'Oyly Carte, senior, who unlied forces in the eighties to establish a tradition for the interpretation of these operas with which they were so inseparably associated. Victorians were able last night to see the Mikado presented as the original masters designed it, just as a week ago the Gondoliers was seen.

Nothing is lacking in the settings to enhance the attractiveness of the opera. The scenery prepared specially for the Canadian tour by Joseph and Phil Harker, of London, is, in fact, much more lavish than was ever found in the old Savoy productions. The costuming, also, is most exquisite, and apart altogether from the vocal or histrionic gifts of the company, this touring production of the Mikado would be well worth seeing as a beautiful spectacle.

The company itself is an excellent one. Not only are those in the leading parts talented singers, but the chorus parts are sung by well-trained voices.

The part of the Lord High Executioner is taken by one of the most talented members of the company, whose reputation as comedian was long ago established in London, Mr. Henry A. Lytten. Pooh Bah is interpreted by another of the popular old members of the company, Mr. Leo Sheffield. Both of these appeared here last week, and were given an enthusiastic reception.

The other male leaders include Mr. Darrell Fancourt, a splendid actor with a fine voice, in the part of the Mikado; Mr. Charles Goulding, in the role of Nanki Poo, and Mr. Joseph Griffin, as Pish Tush.

Of the ladies Miss Irene Hill appeared in the part of Yum-Yum, with Aileen Davies and Beatrice Elburn in the roles of the other two wards of the Lord High Executioner.

These three were bewitching in their various appearances and, possessed of excellent voices, their advent to the stage on every occasion won them showers of applause.

A commanding personality with a magnificent contralto, Miss Bertha Lewis, as Katisha, completed the leading roles.

It is now over forty years since the Mikado was first produced on the London stage. For the whole of the intervening time it has continued to attract and to hold the attention of those who relish a tuneful, spectacular, and mirthful production without any semblance of anything that is not wholesome. In the D'Oyly Carte Company now playing in the city for the remainder of the week the opportunity is afforded of seeing this favorite of the Gilbert-Sullivan productions presented according to the traditions laid down by the originators, as to music and "business," and in an infinitely more effective way scenically.

It will be given at the Royal Victoria again this evening and will be repeated twice tomorrow, at a matinee and in the evening.

"Boy Soprano" Heard In St. John's Church In Good Programme

Remembering the beauty of Cyril Rice's voice when he was here two or three years ago, members of St. John's congregation and many others filled the church last evening on the occasion of the return visit of the "Boy Soprano." The voice has now changed to a light, sweet tenor, which was heard in several beautiful numbers. Lenten hymns appropriate to the season, and some other compositions of slightly more secular type. Among the latter were Tachaikowsky's "Legende," Kennedy Russell's "Vale." Among the more beautiful of the sacred songs or oratorio selections were, "How Sweet the Grace" (from Stainer's Crucifixion), McDermid's Ninety-First Psalm, and "He That Dwelleth in Secret Places" (Rabasch). The singer's style is distinctive, and he has a big range.

Owing to a severe cold which he has contracted since reaching the Coast, Mr. Rice had to make some alterations in his programme, but this evening, in a second recital at St. John's Church, he will sing Salter's "Cry of Rachael," Campion's "Ninety and Nine," "The Lost Chord," and other well-known numbers. The programme will begin at eight o'clock.

Mr. G. Jennings Burnett, who presided at the organ, played some organ music between the vocal numbers, including Handel's "Largo" and Chopin's "Prelude in F Minor," which showed sympathy and sensitiveness.

Sugar From Sawdust

The other day Dr. W. R. Ormandy, before the Society of Chemical Industry in England, announced the perfection of a new chemical process by which sawdust—a close relative of paper pulp—can be converted into a mixture of sugars. One of these sugars is suitable for human food, he says.

Sunday School Teacher—"What are the things that count most in this life?"

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Knowing from terrible experience the suffering caused by rheumatism, Mrs. J. E. Hurst, who lives at 264 Davis Avenue, N. 261 Bloomington, Ill., is so thankful at having healed herself that out of pure gratitude she is anxious to tell all other sufferers just how to get rid of their torture by a simple way at home.

Mrs. Hurst has nothing to sell. Merely cut out this notice, mail it to her with your own name and address, and she will gladly send you this valuable information entirely free. Write her at once before you forget. (Adv.)

Hon. Robert Rogers Will Visit City Again Next Month

HON. Robert Rogers will visit Victoria about the end of April and remain several weeks here, according to a private letter received in the city yesterday.

Mr. Rogers is appreciative of Victoria's climatic advantages and spent a considerable period in 1925 in this city. The former Minister of Public Works has many friends from Manitoba resident here.

The Biggest Dinosaur

One of the world's largest dinosaurs, which it is estimated died about 30,000,000 years ago, will shortly be put on its legs again at the Natural History Museum in London. The dinosaur is fifty feet long and thirty feet high and is believed to have weighed about ten tons. The bones were found in Tanganyika.

Defendant Wins

E. P. Saunders brought an action in the County Court here yesterday against James W. Welsh to recover $18 damages resulting from an automobile collision on Douglas Street. The defendant entered a counterclaim for $19. Judgment was given by His Honor Judge F. S. Lampman in favor of the defendant. Welsh, Mr. Harold A. Beckwith appeared for the plaintiff, Saunders, while the defendant was represented by Mr. Fred C. Elliott.

"Isn't Mary old-fashioned?"

"Oh, how?"

"She thinks she'll have to go to heaven to see the angels her husband talks about in his sleep."—Everybody's Weekly.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Connolly, recently returned from the Koch Cancer Institute, reports recovery in from eighty to ninety per cent of cases under the new serum treatment. For particulars consult Dr. Ernest Hall, Campbell Building, Saturdays and Sundays.

Miss Hanman (Certificated Specialist, London, England) having had nearly twenty years' experience in the treatment of facial disfigurements and blemishes is able, with confidence to guarantee success. 22 Winch Building.

Women's Canadian Club. Tuesday, March 22, at 2:45; speaker and dramatic reciter, Edythe McAdams Yates; subject, "The Little Theatre Movement."

Portia Society, Victoria High School, will hold a rummage sale Saturday next, to aid home economics. 2451 Douglas Street.

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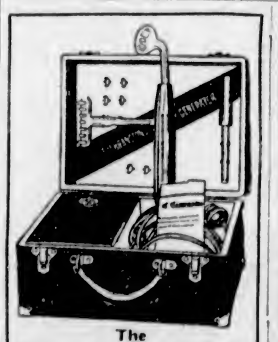

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Women's Clubs and Societies

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY WILL BE NEXT WEEK

Portions of "Merchant of Venice" and "Henry V" to Be Presented

The matriculation class of the Victoria High School is to be heard in Shakespearean drama on the evening of March 25 and 26.

A portion of "The Merchant of Venice," which Heine thought "the poet meant for a comedy," will be given. The parts to be presented include beautiful scenes centering around the choice of the caskets by the suitors for the hand of Portia (Miss Dorothy Morton).

The comedy section of Henry V will make up the second part of the programme. "Prince Hal" does not appear, but his warlike character and military successes are epitomized and explained by the "chorus," between the acts of the play. It is the first use in these plays of the literary form patterned after the classic model.

Special scenery is being prepared by Mr. Will Menelaws, art instructor at V.H.S., and the electrical effects are in the hands of Bruce White. The business management is taken care of by the musical and dramatic committee of the Students' Council: Miss Barbara Fraser, Miss Phyllis Burnett and Robert Ward.

Entr'acte music will be provided, consisting of trios—violin, 'cello and piano; also violin and vocal solos.

Tickets are on sale at the school or may be had on application to students.

Women's Clubs And Societies

Apron Shower Held

An apron shower was held on Tuesday evening under the auspices of Queen Alexandra Review, No. 11, W.B.A., at the home of Mrs. Elliot, 2519 Government Street. The Misses Gaskill, C. Schmelz and Barry Taylor gave several delightful dances. Mrs. Langley contributed two recitations and Mr. R. Faith sang songs. A guessing competition was won by Miss Reid. Mrs. Barbour qualifying for the consolation prize. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge. There is to be another shower for the fancy stall at the same place on March 29. An everybody's birthday party has been arranged for Monday evening after the regular meeting, and Miss Reid would like to know the birth date of all who intend to be present.

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Home-Cooking Sale

A sale of home-cooking will be held in the basement of the David Spencer Ltd., on Saturday, under the auspices of the ladies of the Guild of St. Barnabas. Mrs. G. Gedrim and Mrs. Morfitt are the joint conveners.

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Garden City W.I.

The Garden City Women's Institute will hold a five hundred drive in Marigold Hall tonight at 8 o'clock.

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Loyal True Blue Convention

Mrs. Annie Gallop, G.L.; Mrs. Eleanor Galloway, G.C.; Mr. Geo. Galloway, I.T.; Mrs. Adams, Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. Gibson and Mr. F. V. Hobbs left last night to attend the Provincial Grand Lodge convention at Abbotsford today and tomorrow.

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Bazaar Postponed

The bazaar which was to have been given in aid of the Victoria Boys' Naval Band has been postponed until the first week in April.

Women's Institutes

Langford

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday, March 22, at 2 p.m., in the hall. After the general business has been transacted Mrs. Frank Campbell convener of legislation, will take charge of the programme.

Weddings

Knight-Wellburn

A quiet wedding took place at Christ Church Cathedral on Wednesday evening last, when the Very Reverend Dean Quainton united in marriage Mr. Calvin M. Knight, of Grandview, Texas, and Grace H. Wellburn, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wellburn, of this city. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Kathleen Wellburn, and Mr. Tom Wellburn acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Knight left on the midnight boat for Vancouver, where they will make their future home.

Holds Shamrock Tea

NANAIMO, March 17.—A shamrock tea was held yesterday afternoon by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, and was the means of raising forty dollars. Mrs. J. McMinn, president of the auxiliary, was general convener, assisted by the following committee: Cashiers, Mrs. T. Spencer and Mrs. T. A. Barnard; refreshment committee, Mrs. O. Dobson, convener, assisted by Mrs. C. H. Barker, Mrs. Mortlock, Mrs. A. Woodcock; home-cooking, Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Barclay, Mrs. L. Samson and Mrs. Matthews; candy stall, Mrs. R. Armishaw and Mrs. C. Rosewall. Mrs. Scales convened the musical programme. The soloists were, Mrs. R. Armishaw, Mrs. W. Brown, Mrs. Kelly, Miss E. Dobeson and Miss J. Ferguson. Mrs. R. Wilson and Mrs. F. S. Cunliffe were the accompanists. Miss Stella Patterson contributed a solo dance.

Concert at S.O.E. Hall

A concert took place at the Sons of England Hall, Broad Street, on Tuesday evening. A crowded house enjoyed Jenny Boyd and Messrs. Semple and Holyer in a sketch "The Proof of the Pudding"; little Helen Hudson in several dances; Nora Lea and Bob Coulter in a jazz dance; Jennie Boyd in step dancing and a Spanish dance with Bob Coulter. Tommie Johnston played a violin solo, accompanied by Mrs. Foot. Mrs. F. Williams sang a solo and Nora Lea concluded the performance by singing "At Dawning."

Dancing was afterwards enjoyed.

Mr. Ernie Salsbury was the accompanist.

Programme Is Given In Tubercular Ward

A musical programme was given on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Victoria Women's Institute at the Tubercular Ward of the Jubilee Hospital. It was arranged by Mrs. Burdon-Murphy, and those who contributed were: Miss D. Osborn, Miss Florence Livingstone, Miss Beth Graham, Miss Marjorie Watson, Miss Mona McDonald, Mrs. Milne, Master George Tate, Miss E. MacFarlane, Miss I. Mildenhall, L.A.B., Miss Gertrude Hawkswood, Miss L. Livingstone.

Refreshments were served by the following ladies of the Victoria Women's Institute: Mesdames F. Urquhart, J. Terry, A. Nicolson, Watt, and J. A. Kerr.

Sidney

Mr. William W. Shuel, who has sold his home to Mr. J. W. B. Cattell, who arrived recently from China to take up residence here, will leave shortly for his farm on the prairie near Strasbourg, Sask.

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Mr. and Mrs. Musclow and family, who have lived on Beacon Avenue for the past few years, moved recently to their new home on Fourth Street. This is a fine stucco house of neat appearance which has been under construction for the past few months.

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Mr. Frank Tulley, who for several years was a resident of North Saanich, was the guest of Mr. A. McDonald on Wednesday.

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Miss Connie Chrow and Miss Peggy Fatt, of Victoria, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip E. Brethour, Oakland Avenue.

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Mr. D. McNeil, who has been spending the Winter months with his son, Mr. J. E. McNeil, Fifth Street, left on Tuesday with his daughter, Miss Alice McNeil, for his home in Manitoba.

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On Saturday afternoon, March 19, at 3 o'clock, a St. Patrick's tea will be held in Wesley Hall under the auspices of the C.G.I.T. During the tea hour there will be a musical programme.

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Mr. Everitt Goddard, of Beaufort Road, left last week to locate in Auburn.

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The friends of Rev. Mr. Lees are sorry to know that he is confined to his home through illness.

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Mr. Arthur Prince had the misfortune to break his arm on Monday while working in the Sidney Mills, a board having fallen and struck him.

Deep Cove and Patricia Bay

Rev. T. M. Hughes, rector of Holy Trinity, will hold confirmation classes in St. Augustine's Hall, Deep Cove, every Wednesday afternoon.

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The Deep Cove Social Club held its weekly card party in the Club Hall on Wednesday evening, with a good attendance of members and friends. Progressive 500 was played at seven tables. The ladies' first prize was presented to Mrs. Beattie, and the men's to Mr. George Sayers. At the conclusion of the game Mrs. Beattie assisted by Miss Evelyn Moses and Miss Dora Beattie, served refreshments.

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Miss Frances Bishop, of Shawnigan, is staying with her cousin, Miss Kathleen Clark, Sandy Gap, during the illness of her mother.

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The friends of Mrs. Bishop will be pleased to know she is progressing favorably after her operation at Resthaven.

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Mr. George Sangster, Sr., returned home Sunday after several days spent in Vancouver.

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Mrs. Moses returned home Monday from Victoria where she was visiting friends for the past week.

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Mrs. Hudson, of Victoria, spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Edward Matthew.

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Mrs. James Johns, of School Crossroad, left Friday for Vancouver to visit her daughter, Mrs. Grant.

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Miss Rose Bartholomew, of "Hop Farm," spent a few days in Victoria last week, staying at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Mr. Blainey, of Pitt Meadows, visited relatives over the week-end, staying at Mrs. Chris Moses.

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Mr. Arthur Thornton, Jr., left Tuesday for Victoria.

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The card committee of the Deep Cove Social Club announces that there will be a military 500 drive in the hall, West Road, on Monday, April 5. There will be a musical programme, prizes and refreshments.

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Mrs. Taylor, wife of Major Taylor, of "Bradly-Dyne," and infant son, returned home Friday from St. Joseph's Hospital.

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The friends of Mrs. Hiron, Deep Cove, are sorry to learn she is a patient in Resthaven.

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The board of directors of the Deep Cove Social Club announces a "Hayseed Ball" on April 22.

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The friends of Mr. Bryce Young will be sorry to hear his eldest son met with a painful accident in Alberta, having one arm broken in three places and other minor injuries in a train collision.

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Mr. E. A. Scott, of the Union Club, was at the Cove Monday on business.

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Mr. Vigelius, of Seattle is the guest for a few days with Mrs. H. Horth, of Downey Road.

James Island

Miss Barrie, of Victoria, was the week-end guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Barrie.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Clegg were visitors in Victoria for the week-end.

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Miss Ella Lewis has recovered from her recent illness and has returned to the Island to resume her duties at the school.

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Miss Evelyn Hudson returned to Victoria on Tuesday.

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On Thursday afternoon Miss M. Allen and Mrs. J. Biller were hostesses at a delightful bridge tea. The guests were Mrs. S. E. Bradley, Mrs. A. J. Dakin, Mrs. N. Ganner, Mrs. M. J. Kirk, Mrs. W. Milsted, Mrs. D. A. McNaughton, Mrs. A. J. Peirce, Mrs. G. M. Richards, Mrs. W. S. Thatcher, Mrs. W. Rivers, Mrs. J. W. Van Norman and Mrs. T. Whalen. The prizes were won by Mrs. M. J. Kirk and Mrs. A. J. Peirce.

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At the fortnightly bridge held at the Moore Club Mrs. M. J. Kirk and Mr. J. Clegg held the highest score, and Mrs. J. Clegg and Mr. E. L. Allen the lowest.

South Pender and Saturna

Major Pender returned from Victoria on Thursday.

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On Sunday Mrs. Spalding entertained a few friends at dinner. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Major and Mrs. Pender, Mrs. Ballu, Mr. G. F. Richardson and Mr. N. Richardson.

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Mrs. Hunt and Miss Lyon were guests of Mrs. Beatrice Irving at tea on Tuesday.

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Mr. W. Y. Higgs left in his launch, the Heron, for Victoria on Saturday.

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Major and Mrs. Pender are visiting friends on Saturna Island for a few days.

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Miss Gaddes, of Grenfell, Sask., has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Gaddes, Kangaroo Road.

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Mrs. Ellwood entertained a few friends at the tea hour on Wednesday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Almers, of Quill Lake, Sask., who have been spending the Winter with Mr. Almers, of East Sooke.

Will Give Address

Mrs. Rumble, of Vancouver, will be the speaker at the First Spiritualist Church, 720 Fort Street, this evening at 7.30. There will be a circle on Monday at 8 p.m. and the usual healing meeting on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

Curing Rheumatism

In every form of rheumatism, no matter whether it seems to be caused by a general toxemia, or whether the cause appears to be some infection which entered the system through infected teeth, vaccination, or the use of serums, or through infection entering through the genital organs, the first thing to do is to get rid of the general toxicosis existing, which is the soil in which all forms of rheumatism grow. For this purpose I have never found any method to equal the fasting and diet cure, if used persistently and judiciously.

If the rheumatism has only reached the stage of muscular rheumatism it will disappear very quickly under a fasting regime; whereas, if the toxins have accumulated around the joints in any form of articular rheumatism, or arthritis deformans, the cure will be much slower and will take weeks, and even months, to effect a permanent and lasting cure.

An Extended Fast

In the case of these last forms of rheumatisms, it is necessary to take an extended fast lasting three or four weeks, if one is to expect any real cure. A short fast, of course, will bring about some satisfactory results, and the system being freed of some impurities, will be sufficiently detoxicated so that some of the soreness will disappear, but if there is a drop of the rheumatic poisons remaining in the body, it will surely show up again in some joint, and this trouble will keep on reappearing until a long enough fast is taken to completely rid the system of the irritating material.

In the treatment of muscular rheumatism the use of hot applications over the parts affected is of great value in freeing the conjested circulation. One or two immersions daily in a tub of hot water, to which has been added a handful of Epsom salts, will aid in bringing about a rapid recovery, but usually the muscular soreness will leave in two or three days after beginning the fast.

In articular rheumatism great benefit will be experinced at the start of the fast, but a complete cure cannot be expected for a considerable period of time, because of the bone changes taking place and the necessity for the solidification of all of the liquid bone which has been thrown around the joints before the fast was started. You may expect a permanent cure to take at least as long as it would take a broken bone to heal.

Remain in Bed

In this form of rheumatism it is always a good plan for the patient to remain quiet in bed, and to pack all of the joints in cotton, after rubbing the skin with oil of wintergreen, which will assist in producing copious perspiration. The circulation will be helped if a hot water bottle or electric pad is put at the foot of the bed. The joints should be moved but very little, as any irritation will only delay the progress of the cure.

If one fast does not suffice to bring about a complete cure, it may be necessary to live on a correct diet for a short time, and then return to the fast again.

If the bones are very much distorted it will be impossible for them to ever regain their normal shape, but at least the soreness can be entirely taken out of these joints by a suitable fasting and dietetic regime.

After the fast, the diet should consist of well-balanced food combinations, and no particular kind of food is to be used or avoided. Care should be used in taking only a small amount of any kind of food, and the most important point to remember is that whatever foods are used must be used in correct combinations so that the food does not ferment. For a while it is well to eliminate all sugars and starches, as these foods ferment so easily.

Do not be anxious to take up exercises quickly after the cure seems to be achieved, as this will only encourage the return of your former trouble.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Bridge Party at Empress

At the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., St. Patrick's Day bridge and mah jong party, held yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel, the guests were received by Mrs. Alice Thomson and the regent of the Chapter, Mrs. Mortimer Appleby. Mrs. C. W. Plumb and Mrs. B. Lewis were at the receipt of customs. Much interest was taken in the tray which was presented as first prize for bridge by Mrs. Alice Thomson, and won by Mrs. Gerry Roe. The copper of which the tray was made, was originally part of H.M.S. Victory, and had been presented to the British and Foreign Sailors' Society for their funds upon the suggestion of the late King Edward VII. Mrs. E. Todd was the winner of the mah jong prize. During the tea hour many additional guests arrived. Other players included: Mrs. W. J. McArthur, Mrs. E. Snider, Mrs. C. W. Plumb, Mrs. B. Lewis, Mrs. A. M. Cook, Mrs. W. Brodrick, Mrs. Greville-Jones, Mrs. R. H. Leiper, Mrs. MacHaffie, Mrs. Wolfenden, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. D. Doig, Mrs. E. O. Weston, Mrs. J. H. Baker, Mrs. H. L. Benson, Mrs. A. D. Whittier, Mrs. Billingsley, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Mercer, Mrs. Maclean, Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. H. Robertson, Mrs. H. Wilson, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. A. E. Hodgins, Miss Hilda Langton, Mrs. R. Stewart, Mrs. C. W. Plumb, Mrs. B. Lewis, Mrs. L. B. Wilkerson, Mrs. W. H. Munsie, Mrs. R. H. Powell, Mrs. A. J. Gray, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Dorman, Mrs. Pocock, Mrs. Healy Kerr, Mrs. J. Thaw, Mrs. O'Neil Hayes, Mrs. M. A. Wylde, Mrs. Neald, Mrs. Gerry Roe, Mrs. Aubrey Kent, Miss V. Wylde, Mrs. T. A. Johnston, Mrs. Chas. F. Gardiner, Mrs. E. Pierpont, Miss Dorothy Gardiner, Mrs. J. R. Angus, Mrs. George A. Richardson, Mrs. T. W. Patterson, Mrs. J. Collison, Mrs. Jos. H. Emery, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. E. D. Todd, Mrs. A. S. Gartshore, Mrs. H. G. Wilson (Vancouver), and Mrs. F. A. Dellacott (Nelson).

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Card Party at Esquimalt

A bridge, mah jong and five hundred party was held yesterday afternoon by the organizations represented on the War Memorial committee. The affair took place in the Masonic Hall, Esquimalt, and was under the joint convenership of Mrs. G. P. Clarke and Mrs. Booth. Those on the tea committee were Mrs. Ryley, Mrs. Wise, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Appleby, Mrs. Dalloway, Mrs. Law and Mrs. Burnett, while Mrs. Kelly was in charge of the home-cooking stall. The card players included Mrs. Poyntz, Mrs. Kilburn, Miss McIntyre, Miss Green, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Basil Hartley, Mrs. Winsby, Mrs. Beasley, Mrs. Youngman, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Worthington, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. S. Bowden, Mrs. S. McMaster, Mrs. A. Peden, Mrs. G. C. Grant, Mrs. T. Allan, Mrs. McCafferty, Mrs. P. Forde, Mrs. D. Frame, Mrs. S. W. Walker, Miss E. H. Vantreight, Mrs. W. Allan, Mrs. E. C. Hayward, Mrs. P. Taylor, Mrs. Smythe, Mrs. W. Downes, Miss Penwill, Mrs. Stipe, Mrs. A. Sommer, Mrs. A. Warder, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. F. Sealey, Mrs. C. Harris, Mrs. H. Austin, Mrs. Grimes, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. McKillop, Mrs. Sampson, Mrs. Ockenden, Mrs. Rickett, Mrs. Pellow, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Halliday, Mrs. Dent, Mrs. Cave, Mrs. Bessonette, Mrs. Greig, Mrs. Parkes, Mrs. G. P. Clarke, Mrs. Brooker, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Dalloway, Mrs. Locke, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Knowles, Mrs. J. Jones, Mrs. H. Sweeney, Mrs. H. H. Gibson, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. W. Winsby, Mrs. Langdon, Mrs. R. Thompson, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. F. Spencer, Mrs. Langford and Mrs. Neary and others. The bridge prizes were won by Mrs. Collings, Miss Penwill and Mrs. Leach; mah jong, Mrs. Parkes and Mrs. Richards; five hundred, Mrs. Galloway and Mrs. Kelly. During tea Miss Brown and Miss Snyder gave piano solos.

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Dance at Hospital

The members of the 1929 September Graduating class of the Jubilee Hospital held a dance last evening in the Nurses' recreation room at the hospital in aid of the funds of the training school magazine, "Zinnia," at which the special guests were the members of this year's graduating class. Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Paul Long, Mrs. Le Huquet, the Misses Alexander, Gregory-Allen, Lamb, Burton, Clarkson, Wrinch, Densham, Carruthers, Ede, Paull, Winter, Johnston, Mason, Whiteley, Andrew, Brown, Blewett, Langdon, Elford, Blakeman, Jones, Bell, Sewell, McDonald, Bindon, Mallek, Walden, Burton, Jones, E. Green, O. Lamb, M. Hall, V. Barr, M. Crooks, M. Hanna, Y. De Leenheer, E. Chennells, G. MacDonald, I. Aitken, K. Watson, M. Blyth, N. Ross, T. Atwell, M. Feron, M. Rogers, Le Page, J. Cotter, M. Hartley, I. Dempsey, A. Webster, M. Gregson, R. Laidman, K. Giles, E. Fairhurst, V. Anderson, T. Clements, G. Bremner, M. Parkinson, J. Pearse, Le Muir, M. Jones, B. Higgs, B. Chell, E. Shaw, G. Kerr, and Messrs. Burnett, Greenan, McComb, McIntyre, Barker, Martin, Lundy, Dunnett, Macdonald, Battison, Towgood, Thompson, Stralth, Davidson, Birch-Jones, Halliday, Boeden, Chastob, McNeill, Parsons, Smethurst, Lee, Cox, Hayes, Lamerton, Gillespie, Fraser, Cable, Green, Morton, Maclean, Holland, Newcomb, Wesley, Hall, Gosse, Davis, Whiteside, Watkins, Clunk, Langley, Olson, Russell, Bell, Farquhar, Gilling, Lang, and many others. The decorations were carried out in St. Patrick colors and symbols.

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St. Patrick's Tea

A St. Patrick's bridge tea was held at the Elk's Club rooms on Tuesday afternoon by the Ladies of the Royal Purple in aid of the relief fund. Mrs. F. C. Armstrong, Mrs. Warder and Mrs. Pat Sinnott were the winners of the prizes. During the afternoon Miss Helen Starr gave a vocal solo, accompanied by Miss Scott, and was presented with a bouquet of red carnations by the members of the Royal Purple. The bridge players included: Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Herbert, Mrs. F. Spencer, Mrs. Shrimpton, Mrs. J. Gillis, Mrs. P. Raymond, Mrs. A. Peden, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. W. G. Lemm, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. C. Geiger, Mrs. George Burns, Mrs. Lemm, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. H. Dann, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. F. G. Maynard, Mrs. Penbridge, Mrs. Ben Davies, Mrs. Hobbins, Mrs. R. Copas, Mrs. H. Copas, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Muir, Mrs. H. Elworthy, Mrs. McCoy, Mrs. J. McIntosh, Mrs. Moggy, Mrs. Penzer, Mrs. C. Baker, Mrs. J. R. Clark, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. D. Ireland, Mrs. Knowles, Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. Bowers, Mrs. Semple, Mrs. Worthington, Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. McIvor, Mrs. Meldram, Mrs. H. Peden, Mrs. J. Sherratte, Mrs. J. C. Foote, Mrs. M. Morrison, Mrs. F. Ray, Mrs. J. Shore, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. W. Sylvester, Mrs. S. W. Scott, Mrs. C. Johns, Mrs. Scurrah, Mrs. Clark, Miss Workman, Miss Hale, Miss Maple, Mrs. Halkett.

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Dance at Armories

In honor of the birthday of the honorary Colonel-in-Chief of the P.P.C.L.I., the Lady Patricia Ramsay, "B" Company of the Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry held a largely-attended dance last evening at the Armories, Bay Street. Among those present were: Major H. W. Niven, D.S.O., M.C., commanding officer of the regiment; Captain J. H. Carvosso, adjutant, and officers. The committee in charge included: Honorary Staff Sergeant P. E. Corby, Sergeant M. Ryan, Quartermaster-Sergeant Wallace, Sergeants Lindgren, Speirs and Bates, Corporal Henry and Lance-Corporal Allen. The hall was gay with flags and pennants. Supper was served in one of the messrooms upstairs, the tables being arranged with daffodils, pussy willows and the silver trophies of the regiment.

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Handkerchief Shower

Mrs. Louis Young, 636 Cornwall Street, gave a tea and handkerchief shower on Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her sister, Miss Christine Custance, who is leaving shortly to enter the training school of the Hoquiam Hospital. The dining table was centred with a huge kewpie nurse standing amid gay green festooning on the surprise box of handkerchiefs. The invited guests including Mrs. M. Young, Mrs. T. T. M. Custance, Mrs. Walter Walker, Mrs. Sterling Floyd, Mrs. C. Nairne, Mrs. D. B. Christopher, Mrs. O. Harold, Mrs. R. Wille, Mrs. E. B. Nash, Mrs. Ivan Howell, the Misses Beth Graham, Lorna Raven, Frances Cottet, Ethel Watson, Jessie Christopher, Ethel Ponsford and Billy Howell and Miss Dorothy Custance.

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Entertains for Bride-Elect

Miss Dorothy Pendray was the guest of honor at a tea given yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel by Miss Thelma Sipprell. The tea table was centred with a bowl of daffodils, and during the tea hour, Miss Pendray, whose marriage is to take place shortly, was presented with a recipe book and a lovely corsage bouquet. The guests included Mrs. L. Clarke, Miss Alexa Martin, Miss Muriel Knott, Miss Dorothy Hicks, Miss Winifred Lee, Miss Evelyn Olsen, Miss Claudia Cullum, Miss Nora Stancland and Miss Velma Bucklin.

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St. Patrick's Carnival

A St. Patrick's Carnival was held in the A.O.F. ballroom on Wednesday evening. A pleasing number of the evening was the dancing of the Irish Jig by little Gracie Hay and Olive Jordan. The steps were performed with skill and spirit, to the accompaniment of Mrs. J. Townsend. At the conclusion of their encores they were each presented with a box of chocolates by the social committee of Courts Triumph and Victoria, A.O.F. At 10:30 refreshments were served, after which dancing was enjoyed.

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Lake Hill Dance

Lake Hill Community Centre held a St. Patrick's dance in their hall on Wednesday evening. There were about two hundred guests present. Several novelty dances were featured and prizes won by Mrs. Toms, Miss Griffin, Miss Richardson and Mr. King. The hall had been decorated with green streamers and green flags, with harps of gold. The supper tables were arranged with daffodils and shamrocks. On March 30 a dance is to be held for the Saanich milk fund.

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Birthday Party

Mr. James Neill Northe, formerly of this city and now of Ontario, California, entertained at a birthday party at his studio recently in honor of Mr. Percy E. Switzer, formerly of Duncan, B.C., and now of Los Angeles. Those present included Miss Alice Wylie and Miss Queenie Frisby, of Vancouver; Miss Copeland and Miss Smith, of Ontario, and Mr. Howard G. Kennett, of Duncan, B.C.

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Tea at Empress

Mrs. W. L. Rogers, who is leaving today for her home in Saskatchewan, entertained at a bridge tea yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel. The guests were Mrs. T. Mattick, Mrs. J. Kingham, Mrs. W. J. Alder, Mrs. C. H. Topp, Mrs. A. D. Macfarlane, Mrs. J. D. McNiven, Mrs. Emery, Mrs. Cyril Penzer, Mrs. J. J. Sargison, Mrs. L. Bing and Mrs. Corby.

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Week-End at Salt Spring

Miss Doris Taylor and Miss Aline Stewart Williams are leaving tomorrow to spend the week-end at Salt Spring Island, the guests of Capt. and Mrs. V. C. Best.

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Dance Host

Col. G. S. Cantlie, of Montreal, entertained at dinner, followed by a dance at the Empress Hotel on Wednesday evening, in honor of Miss Helen Mackenzie.

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Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. McAllister, Jr., entertained at luncheon yesterday at her home on Dallas Road in honor of Mrs. Daggett and her son, of California.

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From Vancouver

Professor F. H. Soward, of the University of British Columbia, is here from Vancouver, and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. Alex Scott entertained with several tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at her home on St. James Street, Oak Bay.

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Montreal Visitor

Mrs. W. S. Penny, of Montreal, is in the city, and is registered at the Empress Hotel.

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From Surrey Centre

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Richardson, of Surrey Centre, B.C., are guests at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Visiting in Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. C. Grant, Prior Street, have left for Vancouver, where they will spend the next fortnight.

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Returns From Vancouver

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Langford

An enjoyable card party was held Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Women's Institute in the hall on Dunford Road. The room and tables were decorated with shamrock, green-edged daffodils and St. Patrick's Day favors. Visitors from Victoria and Luxton were present, and these, added to the Langford people present, made the attendance exceptionally good.

Bridge and five hundred were played. The first prize winners for bridge were Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Watson, Miss N. Willison and Cyril Wilkinson winning the consolation. For five hundred, Miss Wilma Pike and Mrs. Ramsay won the first prizes, Mrs. Aikman and Mr. A. Cowle the consolation. The popular contest of pinning on the donkey's tail once more proved to be an unfailing source of mirth, at which Mrs. Stevens proved to be most successful.

Mrs. H. A. Hincks and Mrs. George Cooney assisted the social committee with the decorations and refreshments.

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A delightful St. Patrick's Day silver book tea was held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Le Quesne in aid of the Lawn Tennis Club. Miss Marion Gucher won the first prize for the book contest and Mrs. G. Aikman the consolation. The competition was clever and interesting and was managed by Miss Nellie Willison. An exhibit of Irish scenes and products caused much favorable comment and the radio provided music. Tea was served by members of the tennis club. Many of the residents of Langford were present.

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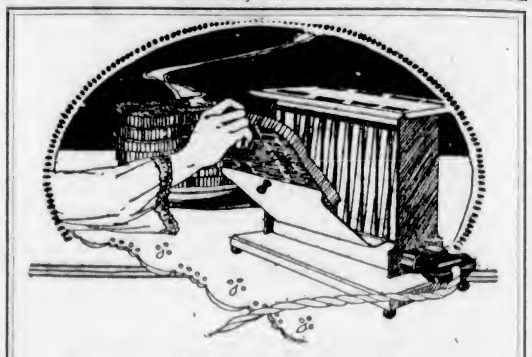

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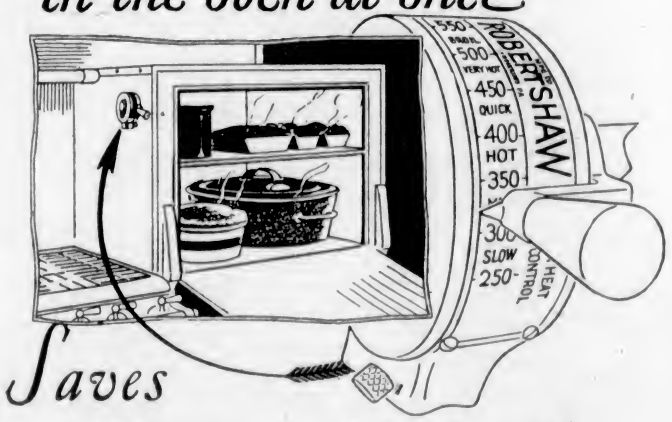

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Beef and Pork Sausage, per lb. ..... **20¢**

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Alberta Chicken, per lb., **45¢**
Smoked Ox Tongue, lb., **45¢**

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Our Spring Opening Displays

Continue Today and Saturday

With all departments displaying wonderful assortments of New Spring merchandise, our apparel sections revealing the newest and most approved styles in women's, misses' and children's wear. Never has this store been quite so interesting, quite so attractive as it is just now. Presented for your approval are the most authentic styles as shown in Paris and other world fashion centres, and while qualities measure up fully to our usual high standard prices are exceptionally low.

New Spring Frocks of Flannel and Balbriggan

These Frocks are made in the two-piece effects, some with boyish shirt waist with two breast pockets, the waistline defined by novelty webbing belt; others with long bodice and front pleated skirt, trimmed with silk stitching, buttons and buckles. Choice of Mimosa, forget-me-not blue, Castillian red, Athenia, Mother Goose and gooseberry. Sizes 16 to 20. Price **$12.95**

New "Celanese" Frocks

A selection of charming dresses made from this new fabric, which is noted for its washing and wearing qualities. One and two-piece styles, the skirts pleated in a variety of new ways. Bodices show diagonal and crossways tucking, pleats from the shoulder and V necks with turn-over collar, some with inset vestee in white, puffed sleeves with cuff, finished with pearl buttons, narrow belts, etc. Choice of gooseberry, powder, maize, flesh, Athenia and peach. Sizes 16 to 20. Price **$29.50**

Fox Scarves

Are Fashionable This Spring

The brilliant natural coloring of natural cross fox furs and their perfect markings make them prominent in the vanguard of fashionable furs this Spring.

Natural Canadian Cross Fox Scarves ..... **$65.00** to **$95.00**
Natural Siberian Cross Fox Scarves ..... **$95.00** to **$130.00**

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Novelty Spring Coats

In Larger Sizes

Made on straight, becoming lines, these coats are specially designed to give a slim outline to the large figure. Wrap-over fronts with flat side trimmings of braid, pleats and embroidery, easy armholes and sleeves finished with cuff. Collars are trimmed with twin beaver, moleskin, Summer squirrel, etc. Shown in charmeen and Poiret twill in navy, sand, grey and black; sizes 42 to 48 bust. Price **$49.50**

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Cardigans and Pull-Overs

For Smart Sports Wear

Wool and Silk and Wool Cardigans
In wide rib effect, made with two pockets and turn-back cuffs, four-button fastening. Choice of purple and gold, brown and gold, brown and blue, brown and fawn. Sizes 38 and 40. Prices ..... **$10.95** to **$11.75**

Silk and Wool Pull-Overs
With neat turn-down collar, finished with three buttons, two set-in pockets, cuffs and hip band in fine rib stitch. Shown in brown and blue with all-over pattern in contrasting shade. Price **$14.95**

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

New Corselettes at $2.95

Made of attractive silk stripe, combined with twelve-inch elastic sections and gathered at waistline to all-elastic shoulder straps, reinoforced back and four hose supporters. Suitable for medium figures. Sizes 32 to 38. Price **$2.95**

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Our "Feature" Suit by Leishman

When you buy a "Feature" Suit you buy a Leishman Suit and the name of Leishman is a guarantee of fine tailoring, fine woollens and sterling quality. We cannot too strongly emphasize the individuality of these suits which are tailored in the most approved styles, single and double-breasted models for young men and business men.

There's a wide choice of the finest tweeds and worsteds in smart new shades for Spring. All sizes, to fit tall men, short men, stout men and thin men; perfect fit guaranteed.

$45

New Spring Hosiery

Reflecting the Season's Smartest Mode

"Orient" Purple Stripe Silk Hose
Full fashioned hose, long length silk with reinforced heels and toes. Shown in shell, Mother Goose, sunni, sauterne, pablo, crash, blonde, nude, rose taupe dove grey and black. All sizes. Priced at **$1.95**

Kayser Silk Hose
Full fashioned, pure thread silk to the top, well reinforced at wearing parts. Choice of Circassian, nude, tille, sonata, chaire, silver, champagne, black and white. Sizes 8½ to 10. Pair **$2.50**

Corticelli Silk Hose
Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk Hose, with high spliced heels and toes, extra pliable lisle garter welt. Choice of parchment, chamois, atmosphere, gunmetal, moonlight, blue fox, French nude, black and white. Price **$1.95**

Silk and Wool Hose
Full Fashioned Hose with narrow hemmed tops; shown in attractive diamond and novel stripe effects, in new color tones; all sizes. Per pair, **$3.00**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Smart New Gloves

To Wear With New Spring Costumes

French Kid Gloves
With turn-back cuff, lined with velvet, cut work design interlaced with metallic braid; points to match. Shown in new colors, also white and black. Sizes 5¾ to 7. Per pair **$2.95**

French Suede Gloves
With novelty scalloped turn-back cuffs, kid lined and embroidered with French silk ribbon in neat designs, pique sewn seams and embroidered points. Colors include grey and mauve, pastel and shrimp, beaver and mode. Sizes 6 to 7½. Per pair **$3.75**

Kayser Silk Gloves
Heavy quality silk, with double tipped fingers, turn-back or flare cuffs, with contrasting embroidery. Choice of Circassian, tille, doeskin, perle, hoggar and white. Sizes 6 to 7½. Per pair **$1.95**

French Kid Gloves
With pique sewn seams, turn-back cuffs, with embroidery and metallic braid trimming; points to match. Choice of light and dark mode, grey and pastel. Sizes 5¾ to 7½. Per pair **$2.75**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Belts Are Popular

We have a splendid assortment of novelty belts in patent leather, white kid, colored suedes and webbing, all at popular low prices.

Patent Leather Belts
In white, red and black, with metal buckles, 1 to 2½ inches wide. Prices, **25¢** to **$1.25**

Suede Belts
Plain and perforated styles in various widths; choice of tan, grey, nigger, green, fawn and purple. Prices, **45¢, 65¢** to **$1.50**

Tomboy Belts
Made of bright colored webbing in stripes and checks; leather ends, with metal buckle. Price **59¢**

White Kid Belts
Plain and perforated styles, metal buckles, 1, 1½ and 2 inches wide. Prices ..... **75¢** to **$1.25**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

New Spring Footwear

The "Ordele" by Johansen

One of the many smart new models which we are showing for Spring—a popular tie effect of patent kid with trim of black and white gingham calf. Price

$12.00

Other exclusive models in grey, roseblush and water lily kid, with trimming touches that typify the new Spring mode. Price per pair **$12.00**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Girls' Spun Silk Frocks

With Dainty Smocking

Made from good quality spun silk, with yoke and round collar, puff sleeves, deep hem, beautifully smocked in pretty pastel shades. Choice of cream, sky, flesh, apricot and Nile.

Sizes 1 to 4 years. Price **$5.95**
Sizes 5 and 6 years. Price **$6.50**

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Two Popular Lines in Children's Spring Hosiery

Rayon Silk Hose
Shown in sky, fuchsia, harvest, mauve, romper, grey and champagne, with contrasting turn-down tops. Sizes 5½ to 8. Per pair **45c**

Novelty Lisle Hose
Ribbed to the toe; shown in fancy dropstitch effect in two-tone colors; turn-down tops. Choice of champagne and grey, fawn and blue, nude and peach. Sizes 6 to 7½. Per pair **75c**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Woods Lavender Line of Women's Rayon Silk Underwear

Vests
Made from best quality rayon silk, carefully tailored and reinforced under arms. Choose from dainty shades of pink, peach and orchid; also white. Price **$1.75**

Bloomers
Same excellent quality as vests. Full cut garments with specially reinforced gusset. Choice of peach, pink, apricot, flame, sugar cane, white and black. Per pair **$2.75**

Rayon Silk Pyjamas
Two-piece suits in good quality rayon, slip-over style, with short sleeves. Shown in pink and black, black and pink, peach and black; also Malmaison and black. Price **$5.95**

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Senators Stretch Lead By Defeating Bruins

One Goal to Nothing Was the Score That Helped Them Up—Cougars Are Shoved Further Down by New York Rangers—Pirates Show Reversal of Form and Beat Black Hawks—Maroons Win

OTTAWA, March 17.—Ottawa Senators stretched their point lead in front of the Canadian circuit of the N.H.L. to three full games by defeating the Bruins, of Boston, one to nothing tonight. Hooley Smith banged in the lone tally after nine minutes of play in the opening period when he blazed in close to trick the Bruin net man on a rebounding shot. The Bruins worked a well-oiled combination attack with Oliver, Shore and Galbraith predominating, but the close-ribbed Senator defense sent them to cover.

Near the end of the first period, Hooley Smith was gashed in the lip in the collision he had with Shore. Three stitches were necessary to close the wound.

Summary

First Period.—1, Ottawa, H. Smith, 9:05.

Penalties

First Period.—Fredrickson, Shore.

Second Period.—Herberts (major), Shore, H. Smith, Klirea.

Third Period.—H. Smith.

Boston	Position	Ottawa
Winkler	goal	Connell
Shore	defence	Boucher
Hitchman	defence	Clancy
Fredrickson	centre	Nighbor
Galbraith	wing	Dennenay
Oliver	wing	H. Smith
Cleghorn	sub.	Klirea
Herberts	sub.	Adams
Meeking	sub.	Finnegan
Coutu	sub.	Halliday
Stuart	sub.	A. Smith
	sub.	Gorman

Cougars Down Again

WINDSOR, Ont., March 17.—Extremes of the American group of the N.H.L. met here tonight and the section leading New York Rangers shoved the Detroit Cougars further into the cellar by a two to nothing score. Bill Cook made both goals and was unassisted on each. The game was hard and thirteen penalties were inflicted.

Detroit	Position	Rangers
Holmes	goal	Chabot
Briden	defence	Bourgeault
Loughlin	defence	Johnson
Keats	centre	Boucher
Gordon	wing	W. Cook
Sheppard	wing	F. Cook
Walker	sub.	Abel
Foyston	sub.	Boyd
Arbour	sub.	Murdoch
Reilly	sub.	Thompson
Duncan	sub.	

Summary

First Period.—1, Rangers, W. Cook, :30.

Second Period.—No score.

Third Period.—2, Rangers, W. Cook, 12:35.

Penalties

First Period.—Briden, F. Cook, Reilly, Boyd, Loughlin.

Second Period.—Abel 2, Sheppard, Briden, Boyd.

Third Period.—Keats, Briden, Bourgeault.

Pirates Come Back

PITTSBURGH, March 17.—After losing five games in a row the Pittsburgh Pirates showed a complete reversal of form tonight and defeated the Chicago Black Hawks 6 to 2 in a N.H.L. contest. The Black Hawks got off to an early start when Dye and Trapp scored after a few minutes of play, but their leadership was short-lived. Pittsburgh scored two goals in each of the three periods.

The line-up was as follows:

Chicago	Position	Pittsburgh
Lehman	Goal	Worters
Trapp	Defence	Langlois
Traub	Defence	McKinnon
Dye	Wing	Darragh
Hay	Wing	Arbor
Fraser	Centre	Milks
Rodden	Sub	Drury
McVeigh	Sub	Cotton
Irvine	Sub	White
McCurry	Sub	

Summary

First Period—1 Chicago, Dye :59; 2 Chicago, Trapp 3:18; 3 Pittsburgh, Milks :30; 4 Pittsburgh, Darragh 13:20.

Second Period—5 Pittsburgh, McKinnon 17:25; 6 Pittsburgh, Smith 2:30.

Third Period—7 Pittsburgh, Smith 12:43; 8 Pittsburgh, White 5:00.

Penalties—Drury, Irvine, McCurry, Traub, Trapp.

Maroons Come Through

MONTREAL, March 17.—Montreal Maroons cinched third place and a play-off berth in the International Section of the N.H.L. when they beat a crippled New York American team here tonight, 2 to 1. The defeat ended any chance the Americans had of qualifying. It was a ragged game, in which the second string players were the only ones to show good hockey. Montreal took a two-goal lead on tallies by Phillips and Carson. Roach brought the Americans close with a goal near the end of the middle period. In the final session Americans threatened and but for the brilliant goal tending of Benedict would have tied the count. Americans were without Billy Burch and Lionel Conacher, $7,500 a year stars, who have been indefinitely suspended by Manager Newsy Lalonde for failure to observe training rules and keep in condition. Connors, former Niagara Falls star, played well at centre for the Gotham team.

Summary

First Period—1 Montreal, Phillips 9:00.

Second Period—2 Montreal, Carson 7:30; 3 Americans, Roach 9:45.

Third Period—No score.

Penalties—Oatman, McKinnon and Rothschild.

Line-Up

Americans	Position	Montreal
Forbes	Goal	Benedict
Reise	Defence	Munro
Simpson	Defence	Dutton
Connors	Centre	Stewart
B. Green	Wing	Siebert
McKinnon	Wing	Oatman
Himes	Sub	Phillips
Scott	Sub	Carson
Roach	Sub	Rothschild
Bouchard	Sub	Dinsmore
	Sub	Noble
	Sub	Donnelly

WINSTON CHURCHILL WAXES FACETIOUS

Chancellor of Exchequer Maintains Attitude of Reserve Regarding Changes in Betting Tax

LONDON, March 17.—Replying to a deputation interviewing him regarding the tax on betting, Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said that no one could dispute that the tax had not injured horse breeding. As evidence of this he pointed out that the Newmarket blood sales for December had yielded 449,000 guineas, the equivalent of $2,375,000, which was the highest amount ever known.

"The newspapers are full of reports of how the tax is being modified in the forthcoming budget," the Chancellor said. "I am unaware at present of any suggestion which will secure to the state anything like the revenue we are more certain to gain from the tax on its present basis. That being so, I maintain an attitude of reserve singularly in contrast with the very confident statements about a proposed change."

Both Varsity Crews Are Now on Tideway

PUTNEY, England, March 17.—The crews for the famous annual Oxford-Cambridge boat race to be rowed this year on the Thames on April 2, are commencing the final stage of their long training period. Cambridge have ended their intermediate training spell and probably will have a trial over the full course, the four and one-half miles' distance to Mortlake from here, some time this week.

Oxford's crew will reach Putney today.

NANAIMO FOOTBALL

Start Series for Brackman-Ker Cup Next Sunday—High School Team Beat Ladysmith Boys

NANAIMO, March 17.—The opening game of the series for the Brackman-Ker Cup will be played here on Sunday next between Nanaimo City and the local Davenports. There are four teams entered for the cup, Nanaimo City, Davenports, West Coast and Ladysmith. All games are to be played here and the winner of the series will be eligible to meet Victoria, winners of the Jackson Cup.

In a downpour of rain on the Central Sports grounds yesterday the Nanaimo High School soccer team defeated Ladysmith High School football team by 3 to 1.

Nanaimo Elks Beat Spencers' at Bowling

NANAIMO, March 17.—The local Elks took the odd game from Spencer's, Limited, in a bowling fixture played on the Nanaimo alleys last night. H. Buck was high man with 186 pins, and T. D. James high average with 158. The scores follow:

Elks

W. Waddington	138	141	135
H. Buck	124	186	115
W. Hooper	121	118	158
T. James	140	176	152
Low Score	110	97	99
Total, 2,010	633	718	659

Spencer's, Limited

H. Nesbit	116	105	128
J. Freethy	126	99	137
C. Reese	110	129	99
N. Wilson	149	97	115
B. Anders	143	124	162
Total, 1,839	644	554	641

BOYS AND M'MILLAN WILL MEET IN FINAL

Jimmy Kiernan Easily Defeated in Semi-Final Round of Provincial Billiard Tournament

VANCOUVER, March 17.—Defeating Jimmy Kiernan 2,250 points to 861, Sid Boys, Western Canada English billiard champion, tonight entered the final round against Jack McMillan, ex-Dominion champion. McMillan and Boys are scheduled to meet in a six-session match over 3,750 points to decide who goes east.

Boys didn't record any centuries tonight, but he put on consistent breaks for an average of 21. His best breaks were 65, 37, 45, 52, 83, 79, 46, 49, 54 and 49 unfinished.

Kiernan displayed better form than in the two previous sessions, but his best efforts netted him only 45, 46, 34 and 35. The session's score was 750 to 459.

Tilden Wins Again

ORTEGA, Fla., March 17.—William T. Tilden II, Philadelphia, America's ranking tennis player, rallied today to beat John F. Hennessy, Indianapolis star, 6-0, 4-6, 5-7, 4-3 and 7-5.

Tilden meets George M. Lott, Jr., Chicago, tomorrow in the finals.

Every attendant in London hairdressers' shops will have to wash in disinfectant after each shave or haircut if a new code of hygiene comes into force.

Misses World Record For Mile by Fifth

LLOYD HAHN

Hahn Beats Wide

NEW YORK, March 17.—Lloyd Hahn, American mile champion, raced to victory tonight over Edvin Wide, the Swedish schoolmaster, in a one-mile race featuring the Knights of Columbus track and field carnival at Madison Square Garden. Hahn won by four yards in a driving finish.

Hahn failed by one-fifth of a second to equal the world's record when he was clocked in 4 minutes 12 1-5 seconds.

CROWD IS THRILLED BY WATER CIRCUS

Hudson's Bay Company Employees' Association Stage First Class Show at Crystal Garden

Manager Alexander and his clever troupe of entertainers appeared before the spotlights last night at the Crystal Garden on the occasion of the second water circus of the Hudson's Bay Company Employees' Association.

Bozo and Bungo, the Amazon Twins, who were booked for their first Canadian appearance, were the feature attraction. In introducing his troupe to the gathering, the manager stated that, according to science, these dark-skinned boys were the last remnants of the missing link. Anything but friendliness seemed to exist between the pair, and it was not long before Bozo had to plunge headlong into the waters of the swimming pool to avoid being speared by Bungo.

Harmony was soon restored by their capable manager, and before their exit they were again the best of friends. Clever diving stunts that held the people spellbound, to first-class comedy that caused hilarous laughter completed their appearance.

Lots of Comedy

Inebriate, played by P. Owens, was responsible for plenty of thrills, while his partner, Rube, portrayed by S. Meldrum, seemed to have somewhat of a difficult time in keeping his socks from falling.

Baby Hayseed, Aunt Marie and Uncle Silas arrived late for the show, and in their excitement to get box office seats met with misfortune.

Tub tilting and tub races were responsible for plenty of laughter, while a diving exhibition and a high bar display by the Y.M.C.A. team, under Archie McKinnon, was heartily applauded.

A relay race and a surprise event completed a first class programme.

The Y.M.C.A. troupe was composed of the following clever athletes: Archie McKinnon, Ernie Peden, Bill Dickinson, Godfrey Parrott, Gordie Wright, Dick Healey and George Cameron.

The Results

Complete results follow:

Relay Race—1, B. Watson's team; 2, R. Eddie's team.

Tub Race—1, Miss Freeshaw and Morris Humber; 2, Miss Ernshaw and Jack Staples.

Surprise Event—1, Humber's team, composed of Humber, Addie and Stevens.

Tub Tilting (ladies)—1, Miss Love. Tub Tilting (men)—1, Jack Stevens.

Circus Officials

A. J. Alexander, director; R. Eaton, pacer; A. Haines, ring master; J. L. Hibberd, trainer; F. McConnell, assistant ring master; A. Minns, judge; S. Nicholls, judge; A. S. Woolard, publicity.

Swimmng Committee

J. Grant (chairman), W. Woodley, A. J. Alexander, Miss E. Matthews, Miss A. McKenzie.

Undesirable Patrons

J. Grant (Bozo), W. Woodley (Bungo), the Amazon Twins; S. Meldrum, Rube, P. Owens, Inebriate, A. Pomeroy, Baby Hayseed, W. Stark, Aunt Marie, W. H. Watkins, Uncle Silas.

After the circus dancing was indulged in until midnight, with the Crystal Garden orchestra, under the leadership of Professor Tickle.

Juvenile Soccer

Tomorrow's juvenile soccer games will be as follows:

Saanich A vs. Saanich B at Beacon Hill; kick-off at 2:30 o'clock.

Three C's vs. Saanich Thistles, at Central Park; kick-off at 1.45 o'clock.

The Y.M.C.A. junior team will play a practice game against the Ex-High United at the High School at 2.30 o'clock. The following players are requested to turn out: Backus, Rowland, Campbell, Parrott, Hammill, Hook, James, Hill, Rose, Patterson, Latta, Hetherington and Skinner, and to meet at the Y.M.C.A. at 2 o'clock.

James Bay announces their line-up as follows: Brown; Killick and Margison; Fraser, Gellings and A. Taylor; J. Smith, Terry, Allan, Lorimer and A. Smith.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY LADY BOWLERS

Club Enters on Second Year of Existence With Good Record of Initial Success

The Victoria Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club held its annual meeting yesterday in the clubrooms at Beacon Hill, when officers for the year were elected as follows: Mrs. H. Reid, president; Mrs. A. H. Wilson, vice-president; Mrs. Macauley, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. H. M. Wright, Mrs. Simmons and Mrs. Cameron, social and entertainment committee.

Mrs. T. McCosh was elected an honorary member and a surprise treat by Mrs. J. P. Owens took the form of a dainty and enjoyable tea.

This will be the second year of existence of the Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club, and it is able to report a very successful beginning last year.

CAPABLANCA MAKES CERTAIN OF VICTORY

Chess Champion the Only One Playing in Masters' Tournament Who Has Suffered No Defeat

NEW YORK, March 17.—Jose R. Capablanca, world chess champion from Havana, today clinched first place in the international masters' tournament and a prize of $2,000 by drawing with Rudolf Spielmann, of Vienna, after thirty-one moves in the seventeenth round of play. Dr. Alexander Alekhine, of Paris, and Aron Nimzowitsch, Danish master, are tied in second place, three and a half games behind Capablanca with only three rounds of play remaining. Nimzowitsch drew into the runner-up tie today by winning from Frank J. Marshall, United States champion, in thirty moves. Dr. Alekhine drew with Dr. Milan Vidmar, Austrian entry, after seventeen moves.

The Cuban champion, in clinching victory in the tournament in which his title was at stake, has not been beaten in seventeen rounds. Seven of the contests have resulted in victories, with ten drawn. Each of the five other contestants has been defeated at least once.

Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, Mex., March 17.—Results of racing here today follow:

First race, four furlongs—1, Sun Meddler, $9.20, $2.60, $2.20; 2, Peralta, $2.60, $2.20; 3, Coronel, $2.20. Time, :47 2-5.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Tavern Talk, $9.60, $4.40, $3.60; 2, Fiery Rose, $4.60, $3.60; 3, Charusan, $3.20. Time, 1:09.

Third race, Clubhouse Course—1, Specialist, $13.40, $7.60, $5; 2, All Shot, $6.80, $4.20; 3, Deep Blue, $8. Time, 1:37 2-5.

Fourth race, five and one-half furlongs—1, In the Eye, $10.40, $4.80, $2.40; 2, Harbinger, $5, $2.60; 3, Sanahar, $2.20. Time, 1:06 3-5.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Kaliko, $12.20, $4.80, $2.60; 2, Adolphus, $4, $2.80; 3, Rey Schee, $2.60. Time, 1:06 3-5.

Sixth race, mile and one-sixteenth—1, By George, $24.60, $13.40, $6.40; 2, Shasta Baily, $6, $4; 3, Dunibfounder, $4.60. Time, 1:48 2-5.

Seventh race, mile and one-sixteenth—Hiram Taylor, $12.40, $5.20, $4.40; 2, Wynnewood, $9.40, $4.40; 3, Valor, $3.60. Time, 1:47 2-5.

Eighth race, mile and one-quarter—1, Composer, $32, $14, $8; 2, Shafe, $6.40, $5.20; 3, Barbwire, $3.80. Time, 2:08.

Ninth race, seven furlongs — 1, Kilauea, $21.20, $10.20, $7.80; 2, Move On Seth, $8.40, $7.20; 3, Ponomoi, $8. Time, 1:27.

Overnight Entries

First race, four furlongs—Palodota, 115; Richfield, 115; Mission Lad, 112; Sweeping Ray, 112; Financier, 112; Kenyon, 115; Frank Light, 112; Tent Builder, 115; Somer's Gale, 112; Governor Seth, 112; Sunkin, 112; Gundy, 115; Fred Whitman, 112; Mailer Rock, 112.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Jagger, 110; Gold Grafton, 103; A. N. Akin, 111; Stalatar, 105; Faithful Girl, 109; Neg, 107; Lauram, 104; Lucy J., 109; Castle Crown, 101; Shasta Express, 111; Jersey Red, 108; La Belle, 105; Springvale, 105; Moonshine Frank, 103; Phillips Lugo, 103; Sunbrea, 111; Seven-Sixty, 100; Starlane, 103; Big Wig, 103; First Pullet, 109.

Third race, mile and one-sixteenth—Midnight Stories, 104; Miss Frauland, 102; Missoula Boy, 105; Chula Vista, 111; No How, 111; Tugs, 111; Tuxedo Sam, 111; Proceeds, 103; Runleigh, 109; St. Angelina, 107; Plowsteel, 109; Ninon, 100; Ko-Ko, 100.

Fourth race, mile and one-sixteenth—Wild Rye, 104; Olds Eight, 104; Seawrack, 103; Arravan, 104; Evelyn Brown, 102; Jay Roberts, 113; Falls of Afton, 111; Sam Lorch, 104; Billy Watts, 109; Manniken II, 116; Little Reb, 102; Blue Canyon, 105; Zucca, 102; Galiford, 104.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—Baby Doll, 92; War Bells, 107; Towton'a Gem, 97; Sleive Donard, 101; Musketeer, 117; Virg. Carlton, 108; Cap and Gown, 99; Skywards, 102; High Joy, 107; Snooksie K., 103; Star Dust, 112.

Sixth race, mile and seventy yards—Greensprings, 107; Royal Princess, 105; Billy Todd, 107; Brum Beat, 107; Gunsight, 107; Lady Leonid, 105; Sylvanus, 107; Nebraska Lad, 107.

Seventh race, seven furlongs—Mushon, 95; Fabian, 100; Sweepstakes, 111; Jack Fairman, 106; New Beauty, 100; Unionville, 103; Broadmoor, 102; Dr. Clark, 100; Paula Shay, 97.

Eighth race, five and one-half furlongs—Crossbow, 105; Postillion, 101; Conde, 109; Nose Dive, 102; Better Luck, 107; Don K., 104; Flying Chief, 111; Shasta Lad, 101; Trek Jour, 99; Don Eduardo, 111; Kit Carson, 110; Booze Beyer, 109.

Ninth race, mile—Saxatile, 102; Mathilda R., 108; Scotsman, 102; Shepherd, 105; Venture, 99; Golden Shore, 104; Lihue, 99; Portola, 105; Ojo, 99; Plain Rock, 102.

Tenth race, five furlongs—Hoocreek, 96; Pennon, 112; Buck Pond, 113; Bronx, 110; Shasta Limited, 106; Frank S., 115; Miss Nantura, 111; Billy D., 115; Sedge, 106; Shasta King, 112; Sayre M., 96.

Measles Attacks Varsity Oarsmen

SEATTLE, March 17.—E. Towgood, University of British Columbia oarsman, was sent to the University of Washington infirmary here today with measles. He was to have rowed in the shell which meets the Washington Freshmen here Saturday afternoon. That raises the total of measles victims to two. Chuck Stephens, Freshman stroke, was the first.

DENIES REPORT OF SALE OF SENATORS

Many Offers Made But Not Considered in Spite of Report Circulated by La Patrie

MONTREAL, March 17.—La Patrie, French language newspaper here, says today that it hears on excellent authority that the Ottawa club in the National Hockey League has been sold to a Philadelphia syndicate which will hold a franchise in the league next Winter. A deficit in running expenses this season of from $60,000 to $75,000 is given by the newspaper.

OTTAWA, March 17.—Absolute denial of reports that the Ottawa Senators hockey team had been sold, was made late this afternoon by Clare Brunton, one of the leading officers of the Senators club. Mr. Brunton said many flattering offers for the purchase of the league leaders had been made by interests in the United States, but was emphatic that to date none of them had been considered.

WILL DISCUSS PLANS FOR COAST HOCKEY

Frank Patrick to Meet Representatives to Talk Over the Launching of the New Venture

VANCOUVER, March 17. — The Evening Sun published the following today in its sport columns:

Representatives from Tacoma, Seattle, Portland, San Francisco and possibly Los Angeles meet here tomorrow with Frank Patrick to discuss plans for the formation of a new coast professional hockey league.

It is planned to be ready for the season of 1927-28, although it is possible the circuit will not be all coast in calibre until the following season. This remains to be worked out at the conference.

Tacoma interests have plant and property ready now and they are keen to be included. W. B. Severyns, former police chief of Seattle, and W. J. Coyle, ex-Lieutenant Governor of Washington, are behind the Seattle project.

School Rugby Teams Will Play Today in Island Title Series

Boys' Central and University School Rugby teams will meet at the Willows today at 3:45 o'clock in a Cowichan trophy game. This cup stands for the school championship of Vancouver Island, and some exciting games are expected in the series.

The weight limit is set at 125 pounds, while certain restrictions with reference to age are also in force.

Reach Semi-Finals in Women's Indoor Tennis

BROOKLINE, Mass., March 17.—The semi-finals in the Twentieth Annual Women's National Indoor Tennis Singles' championships will bring together tomorrow Mrs. George W. Wightman, of Brookline; Mrs. Frederick V. Roeser, of New York; Miss Margaret Blake, of Lenox, and Miss Edith Sigourney, of Boston. They will meet in the order named and the winners will oppose each other on Saturday for the right to succeed Miss Elizabeth Ryan, of California, who is not defending her title.

First United Basketers Are Off to Mainland

Vancouver Island Champions Leaving This Evening in Quest of Further Honors—Play Semi-Final Tomorrow With King Edward Old Boys

The First United senior men's basketball team, Vancouver Island senior A champions, are leaving for the Mainland this evening in quest of the British Columbia championship. Tomorrow night they will meet the King Edward Old Boys, who captured the Mainland honors, and the winner of this tussle will travel to Kamloops to play in the finals and the right to take part in the Dominion play-offs.

The game will be staged at the Canadian Memorial gymnasium, and it is expected that a large crowd of fans will be on hand to witness these two fine basketball quintettes in action. The local boys had their last stiff workout last night, and they are now feeling fit and ready to go at the first toot of the whistle. Every man on the Victoria squad is in first class condition with the exception of Ed. Breckenridge, who has been laid up with a bad cold for the past few days. However, he will be out in uniform and will in all probability start at centre, but, should he find the going too hard, he will be relieved by Joe Ross, who has now switched from guard and is playing relief pivot man.

Captain Art Webster and Bud Hocking, the two scoring aces of the team will cover their customary positions on the forward line, with Johnny Foubister ready to jump in should the occasion present itself. Norm Forbes and Bob Whyte will hold down the heavy positions at guard and they can be depended upon to make things hot for the opposing forwards. Norm played a wonderful game last Saturday night against the Jordan River five and it is to be hoped he will be able to repeat against the Old Boys.

Word from Vancouver states that the Mainland champs are one of the finest teams seen in that part of the country for some years, and the home fans are banking heavily on them to pull through for a win. Every player on the team is a deadly ball-handler with many years of experience in the hoop game. The Firsts will be handicapped due to the fact that their opponents will outweigh them considerably, as the Vancouverites are a hefty crew, and use their weight to advantage. However, the locals hope to offset this by their speed, which has helped them win a goodly number of games.

While the First United are battling the Old Boys, two Victoria teams will be at home to two Vancouver aggregations at the Victoria High School gymnasium. These two games will be British Columbia championship affairs and will undoubtedly draw a big crowd. The feature game will be the Fidelis-Canucks game. This is the second and final game of the two-game series, total points to count. The first game was played in Vancouver on Wednesday night and the local girls dropped the contest by seven points.

The other championship tussle will be between the Fairfields, Vancouver Island intermediate girl champions, and the Felixes of Vancouver.

There will be no reserved tickets on sale for these games. The High School has seating accommodation for nearly six hundred fans, so that everybody is assured of a good seat, and will not have to go to the trouble of phoning in a reservation.

RACQUETS DOUBLES IS WON BY BRITISH

LONDON, March 17.—After coming from behind to even the match at the fourth game, the American pair of C. C. Pell and Huwett Morgan lost the exciting final of the English amateur doubles racqueta championship tournament at the Queen's Club today, to the British combination of F. W. K. Kempweich and L. D. Cambridge. The scores were 15-10, 15-8, 9-15, 15-12 and 15-3.

The Americans rallied well to square the contest after four games and made a strong fight for the fifth, but Cambridge finally won it with a service ace. The British took the final game easily.

OLYMPIC COMMITTEE WANTS MORE MONEY

Dominion Government Considering Request for Increased Grant for Canadian Contingent

OTTAWA, March 17.—The Dominion Government has at present under consideration a request for an increased grant to enable the sending of a more representative gathering of Canadian athletes to the next year's Olympic games in Amsterdam. The request was made to Premier Mackenzie King and Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, by a committee composed of Chairman F. J. Mulqueen, of the Canadian Olympic committee; Prof. Thomas Loude, Toronto; Wm. Foran and Harvey Pulford, Ottawa. Both the Prime Minister and the Minister of Finance promised consideration. The additional expense that will be incurred through the enlargement of the Canadian contingent to the Olympic games was pointed out by Mr. Mulqueen.

Old Country Football

LONDON, March 17.—Results of football games today:

Scottish League, Second Division—Queen of South 2, East Fife 0.

Rugby Union—Gloucester 28, Air Force 11.

TROPHIES RECEIVED BY WINNING TEAMS

Veterans of France and Pro Patria Billiard Experts Win A and B Section Championships

At a smoking concert held in the Veterans of France clubrooms last night, Comrade W. G. Stone presented the billiard trophies to the successful teams in the Interservice Billiard League.

Comrade Hodge, captain of the Veterans of France A team received the league cup on behalf of his team, while each of the members received miniature trophies.

Comrade Orchard, of the Veterans of France team received the Bloom gold medal for the greatest number of wins and the highest break, while Comrade Food, of the Britannia Post of the Canadian Legion, was presented with a silver mounted walking stick for being runner-up.

Comrade Taylor, accepted the Bloom Cup and the Lyons Cup on behalf of the Pro Patria branch of the Canadian Legion for the championship of the B section. The greatest number of wins was chalked up by Comrade Smith, while Comrade R. Crouch registered the highest break.

Comrade Hardisty, secretary of the league was presented with a set of pipes in appreciation of his work during the season just completed.

In making the presentations, Comrade W. G. Stone, president of the Interservice Billiard League, thanked the donors for their kindness and interest shown during the season, and congratulated the winning teams on their efforts. The personnel of the teams follows:

Veterans of France—Orchard, Turner, Oakes, Stevens, Robinson and Hodge.

Pro Patria branch of the Canadian Legion—Pembridge, Crouch, Smith, Taylor and Edwards.

Stribling Outpoints Maxey Rosenbloom

BOSTON, March 17.—Young Stribling, Georgia light-heavyweight, decisively outpointed Maxey Rosenbloom of New York in their ten-round fight here tonight. Stribling carried seven of the rounds, two were even and Rosenbloom was credited with a slight edge on the other.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

Just where is this craze for outrivalling the other fellow for speed going to lead to? Just what good does it do? And is it worth the loss of life which it costs to attain to these phenomenal and apparently quite useless speeds of motor cars?

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Take a pencil and paper and do a little figuring, and you will realize that the difference in speed of 170 miles per hour and 175 miles per hour means just a fraction of a second in covering one mile.

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And yet to attain these slight differences in "record" speed it is necessary to build "mystery" cars which burn up more fuel in covering a mile than our old flivver takes to carry us to and from the links for a month.

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One little flaw in metal or machinery and the "speed fiend" who is trying to break a record with one of these mystery machines gets smashed into an almost unrecognizable wreck of human remains, and just how much better off is the world or the motor industry or anybody except those few who are paid big money for risking their lives or assisting others to do so?

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"Unparalleled development in every phase of automobile racing" is predicted for this year. So the roll of deaths and injuries, already a heavy one, is liable also to beat the record.

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Harry B. Smith, of the San Francisco Chronicle, says, "We have always been told there is nothing so certain as death and taxes. To which we might add there is nothing so uncertain as a horse race, particularly with an entry list of from eighteen to twenty thoroughbreds."

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And we should like to add, Harry, that there is little or nothing so certain as that continuous playing of the races will mean ultimate loss.

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And that there is little sport in a horse race where one stable is allowed to run three or four entries.

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One has heard, more's the pity, of second string runners in team athletic meets being used to obstruct an opponent. It is much easier for three or four horses to prevent a dangerous rival of their stable getting on terms with the horse the stable is out to win with.

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We've got to brush up on our soccer lore. We've just read of the URUGUAY soccer team's tour of North America and learn that one of the prominent players of the Olympic champions is ANGEL ROMANO, "iron man" of South American forwards, who has the reputation of playing in 125 international conflicts.

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AND WE NEVER KNEW IT!

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FORUM OF TRAJAN REFUGE FOR CATS

Once Brilliant Centre of Roman Life Now Peopled With Pussies—Good as Zoo

The moon sheds its pale beams on the Seven Hills of Rome, draping them in the mantle of antiquity and dignity which is their heritage. The Eternal City sleeps. None of its citzens share its slumber more soundly than a husband and wife whose villa is situated on the Capitoline. For old time's sake we shall call this modern Roman couple Signor and Signora Caesar.

Suddenly the night is positively profaned by an unearthly, blood-curdling scream.

The Signora might start up from her couch crying: "Help, ho! They murder Caesar!" She has Shakespearean precedent for it, but she knows better. Both she and the Signor, who wakes swearing, are at once aware that the horrid racket without is those cats again.

Now if by odd chance the noise had been a wolf howling—and not so odd a chance, either, because there are two wolves kept actually as well as symbolically in a cage on the Capitoline—if, we say, it had been a wolf, the roused Romans probably would have been tolerant. "Never mind," the Signor would have remarked, composing himself and going back to sleep. "Think what an ancestress of that animal did for Romulus and Remus."

It isn't a wolf, but a cat, and this is not Egypt, but Rome, where cats aren't the least bit scared and haven't been for no one knows how long. So the Signor gives vent to a string of fluent Italian oaths. He would go to the window and throw a shoe or something, but in these lean post-war years not many Italians can afford to throw things away. So he suggests to the Signor the following expedient:

"Tomorrow," he commands, "put a piece of liver under a box trap and see if you can't catch one or more of those caterwauling creatures. If you succeed, we will conduct a Roman triumph and take the captives in chains or a sack or something to the Forum of Trajan."

Cat Sanctuary

This is the popular procedure. The past, which has done so much for Rome, has provided a practical place for storing surplus and obnoxious cats, and that is none other than the Forum which the Emperor Trajan built in his pride in the second century A.D., writes Fairfax Downey in World Traveler Magazine.

Trajan, who was a corking good emperor, and original, found the old Roman Forum far too cluttered up by the monuments of predecessors for him to add anything without calling in a wrecking company. Accordingly, he built one of his own not far away and signalized it with a lofty column decorated with splendid spiral reliefs portraying his victories on the Danube. Since the conquest of the Dacians, to whom Rome had paid tribute since the reign of Domitian was no mean feat, the relief sculptors had plenty of inspiration, and no doubt they could have spiraled higher than 140 feet if necessary. If, when they had finished, they remarked, "Ouf, what a relief!" it could only have been by way of self-congratulation.

The Forum of Trajan with its rostra, altars and basilicas was a sight of grandeur, but it got ruined like so many things in Rome; all of it, that is, save the column. Then the dust of centuries settled upon it and hurled it, so that when a city block of it was excavated, it was in the relation of a sunken garden to the surrounding street and houses. Heightening that appearance, grass and verdant shrubbery was made to grow within it and vines climbed the walls and the shattered marble shafts—altogether a charming, lower-level park.

Glory Long Vanished

From the Piazza Foro Traiano there is no entrance down into this garden spot, while its walls rise up twelve feet or so to the top of the parapet which separates it from the street. No human feet regularly tread the green sward, but scores of padded feline paws parade over it daily. Once in the Forum, the most agile cat stays there until it is taken out, which explains why, among old Roman proverbs, there is none about the cat which came back. The Forum of Imperial Trajan, turned into a reservation, is, so to speak, stopping a chink to keep the cat away. However his shade may feel about it, some of his countrymen are grateful to him today as were his contemporaries when he ended reparations payments to the Dacians.

From various quarters of Rome which have a feline over-population, pussies are gathered and the Forum of Trajan is literally a place where the cat is let out of the bag. It has been so for many generations. The strays are by no means condemned to starve in this open air dungeon. Earlier Romans may have looked down mercilessly on lethal scenes in the pit of the Colosseum, but today they may be seen from time to time tossing cat meat into the sunken enclosure. It looks as if the mousing might be pretty good down there, too. Aesop could write a new fable about it—how the city mouse set out to show the country mouse Rome and came to an untimely end in the wide, open spaces of Trajan's Forum.

It seems to be a case of no durance vile, but of puss-in-luck. Scores of cats stroll on warm marble slabs or at the bases of classic columns. They are unworried and unharried. There is shade in plenty, and evidently there are numerous nooks and crannies which lend themselves to seclusion from the public gaze and serve as comfortable dormitories. Under such conditions puss throws off much of the thin veneer of civilization assumed elsewhere for comfort's sake and approaches the wild, untrammeled state of tiger ancestors.

Not a Perfect Utopia

There is a catch in this cat Utopia, however. When their numbers increase to too large proportions, the municipal catcher drops into the Forum and nominates sacrificial victims, which he takes away to the oblivion of the pound. This has been found necessary, since the prison breaks, if any, and other removals cannot keep pace with the various additions to the tenantry.

The other removals referred to are those by which the Forum wins the right to be known as the Cat Exchange of Rome. For not only those citizens resort there who desire to deposit cats, but also those who wish to draw on the balance. Any Roman who wants a nice cat free knows just where to go for a wide choice of color and design. Of course he may have a little trouble making it. Cat coursing over marble jumps in the classic enclosure may well prove exciting sport. The huntsman may get all out of breath running and shouting the Italian for "Tally-ho!" and his quarry may go to earth, but sooner or later, with only the penalty of exertion and some scratches, he must win a trophy of the chase.

The excavation serves also in another capacity which in the eyes of pet lovers exceeds its antiquarian interest. In its soil are said to flourish certain herbs highly beneficial to cats that are feeling rather out of sorts. The doctor may prescribe for the ailing puss a rest of a week or so in the Forum, at the end of which the patient may be hoisted out feeling like a new cat. So the pet is lowered into the spa. After its stay, all you have to do is sort it out, capture it and convince the creature there's no place like home.

Serves Triple Purpose

Cat repository, cat exchange, cat hospital—the Forum of Trajan is all of these, although most of the first. Thither are led captive not only the cats that murder sleep too chronically, but also those convicted of slaying the canary or raiding the milk pitcher. There will be cats from Avantine, the Palatine and the Janiculum. There will be—there ought to be, anyway—cats from the little restaurants near the plazza before St. Peter's. One may dine outdoors there pleasantly in February, so far as the weather is concerned, but it is fatal to the diner's peace to order fried fish; quite likely he will have cats shinnying up both his legs.

To watch the cats promenading in their preserve is as good as a Zoo, but the curiosity of the observer inevitably is aroused to the point of further inspection. The day is calm enough, but watchman, what of the night? He wonders if his cars would not fairly ring with nocturnal serenadings and the din of feline love among the ruins.

Feline Serenaders

If the visitor is inquisitive enough to go of an evening and verify his surmises, he can do nothing wiser or more fitting than to dine at the famous old restaurant nearby. It is housed in the Basilica Ulpia, which stood on the border of the Forum. Arriving at 9 o'clock, for one dines late in Rome, the seeker after knowledge enters a semi-circular room of massive stone blocks, lit by regular foolish virgin lamps which shed an electric bulb illumination from a ledge. Hangings of imperial purple curtain the doorways and over screens of ancient design are draped the skins of wild beasts such as once collaborated with gladiators in making a Roman holiday. The stands to hold iced wine are wrought of iron and copper in the shape of the tripods from which the Pythoness prohpesied at Delphi. Ah, what oracles are uttered even today with such equipment! The very wine list is in the form of a scroll, and the average American unrolling it will never fail to address the hovering captain and waiter with "Friends, Romans, countrymen, lend me your ears. What's buried in your cellar?" The food is delicious. When the diner leaves the restaurant for the Forum, there is no reason why he shouldn't feel like the noblest Roman of them all.

He is prepared to hear from the cats in the enclosure such a serenading as would be bound to lower the rent of all dwellings within earshot. But he hearkens to little or nothing. Perhaps it is because the cat is a temperamental animal and in the face of too much competition is reluctant about sounding off.

The disappointed visitor may have just time to make the not distant opera for the last act, and there, if the audience does not happen to like the tenor, he will hear bang-up outbursts of hissing and yowling, after the fine old Roman custom. Then he will know why the cats of the Forum are silent on opera nights. They know when they are outclassed.

"I would like to read something sensational—something to make my hair stand on end!"

"Well, here is my dressmaker's bill!"—Pele Mele, Paris.

"Let's go away. If I stay here any longer I shall have to assault the referee!"

"I should have assaulted him long ago, but my feet are frozen to the ground!"—Der Gotz, Vienna.

"Don't worry! That fence will stop us!"—Der Gotz, Vienna.

Premier and Troops of Northern Government

It is estimated that the rival armies in the Chinese civil war operating in the Shanghai sector exceed 1,000,000 men. Above is seen a detachment of perfectly drilled soldiers of the Northern forces who are striving to defend the international city from the converging Cantonese. At the left is Liang Shih Yi, Prime Minister of the Northern Government, which has its seat at Peking. He is an experienced statesman, having been Prime Minister before, and he concedes that with the fall of Shanghai the whole of the Northern territory is in peril of falling into the hands of the Cantonese.

Metchosin News

METCHOSIN, March 17.—On Wednesday, March 23, the Women's Institute will hold a tea and cup shower at "Tiswilde," the home of the secretary, Mrs. McVicker, from 3 to 6 o'clock. During the afternoon Miss Head, of Victoria, will speak on "Japanese Art," with demonstrations. At 2:30 p.m. a business meeting will be held to complete arrangements for the bulb and Spring flower show to be held on April 6.

On Friday, March 25, Mr. H. S. Jordan will give a lecture on "The Building of the Grand Trunk Pacific in British Columbia," at the home of Mrs. McVicker, Rocky Point Road. Anyone interested will receive a hearty welcome. The lecture will start at 8 o'clock.

The monthly meeting of the St. Mary's branch of the Women's Auxiliary, will be held on Thursday next, at the Vicarage, at 2:30 p.m.

Friend—"I just saw a young man trying to kiss your daughter."

Modern Mother—"Did he succeed?"

"No."

"Then it wasn't my daughter."—Answers.

TORONTO, March 17.—The Ontario English billiard title was captured by J. Johnston here last night when he defeated H. S. Osborne by ninety-three points at the finish of their 1,000-point match. The winner will now meet John Rooney, of Montreal, and the winner of this match will play C. A. Payne, of Vancouver, for the Dominion championship on Saturday.

CUBANS WILL OPPOSE CANADA AT TENNIS

Davis Cup Draw Made by President Coolidge With Due Ceremony at the White House

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Canada will again meet Cuba in the first round of play in the American zone for the Davis Cup, emblematic of world's lawn tennis supremacy. President Coolidge made the draw at the White House today in the presence of the diplomatic representatives of the European countries and four nations in the Western zone.

Mr. Coolidge picked the envelope bearing the name of Czecho-Slovakia from the Davis Cup bowl, which rested on a table in the White House grounds. Acting-Secretary Grew, of the State Department, then picked the name of Greece, whose team will meet the Czecho-Slovakians in the second round.

The result of the draw follows:

American Zone—First Round

Japan vs. Mexico; Cuba vs. Canada.

European Zone—First Round

Spain vs. India; Sweden vs. British Isles; Denmark vs. Holland; Switzerland vs. Austria; Ireland vs. South Africa.

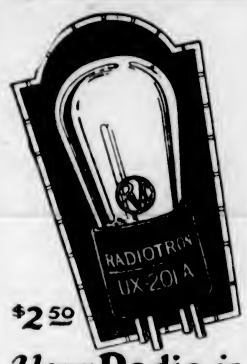
Second Round

Czecho-Slovakia vs. Greece; Belgium vs. Poland; Portugal vs. Germany; Hungary vs. Italy; France vs. Rumania. Jugo-Slavia drew a bye for the first round, and in the second round will meet the winner of the contest between Spain and India.

The winner in the European zone will meet the winner of the American zone to determine which shall have the right to challenge America for the cup it now holds by virtue of a victory in the competition last year.

Employer (to new boy): "You're the slowest youngster we've ever had. Aren't you quick at anything?"

Boy: "Yes, sir. Nobody can get tired as quick as I can."



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YOKOHAMA HAS FINE VOYAGE FROM ORIENT

N.Y.K. Liner Reaches Port Several Hours Ahead of Time—Brings Nineteen Passengers Here

After a smooth voyage from Yokohama to this port, the N.Y.K. liner Yokohama Maru reached port yesterday afternoon at 4.15 o'clock, some five hours ahead of schedule. Captain Kawashima reported an uneventful voyage over, with practically no rough weather.

The Yokohama brought in nineteen passengers to Victoria, including one cabin, Mr. J. F. Henry, of Japan, who left on the midnight boat for Vancouver. Twenty-six steerage passengers went through with the ship to Seattle.

Cargo on board the liner totalled 1,560 tons, 160 tons of which were discharged here, including shipments of matting, porcelain and wood oil. For Seattle and Tacoma she carried 1,400 tons of general. Raw silk on board totalled 3,105 sacks, while 205 cases of the manufactured product also were brought in for United States points.

Captain Kawashima reported that his ship left Japan two days before the earthquake and declared that the only information he had received were radio reports. The vessel cleared for Seattle at 8 p.m.

Alice to Replace Louise

While the steamer Princess Louise, which has been operating on the night run from Vancouver to Victoria, is having her annual overhaul she will be replaced by the Princess Alice. This change will be effective Tuesday, according to an announcement made yesterday by Captain J. W. Troup. Yesterday afternoon the Charmer was taken over to the V.M.D. for cleaning and painting.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY TRANSCONTINENTAL TRAIN SERVICE

The "Imperial" leaves Vancouver at 9:00 p.m. daily for Calgary, Winnipeg and Montreal. The "Toronto Express" leaves Vancouver at 8:30 a.m. daily for Calgary, Winnipeg and Toronto. Both trains carry Standard and Tourist Sleepers, also Compartment Observation Cars. The "Imperial" and "Toronto Express" make connection at Calgary for Edmonton. There is also a through Standard Sleeper from Vancouver to Chicago operated on the "Imperial." The Coast-Kootenay train leaves Vancouver at 7:30 p.m. for Okanagan and Kootenay points, carrying through Standard Sleeper to Nelson. For further information phone 1270 or 121, or call at the City Ticket Office, 1102 Government Street, or the Wharf Ticket Office.

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April 9 .....Montcalm
Apr. 16 .....Minnedosa
TO CHERBOURG-SOUTHAMPTON-ANTWERP
April 14 .....Montnairn
TO GLASGOW
Mar. 31 .....Metta
April 12 .....Metagama
TO ANTWERP
Mar. 29 .....Montreal
April 7 .....Marburg
FROM NEW YORK
TO CHERBOURG-SOUTHAMPTON-ANTWERP
Mar. 31 .....Montroyal
TO CHERBOURG-SOUTHAMPTON
April 15 .....Empress of Scotland
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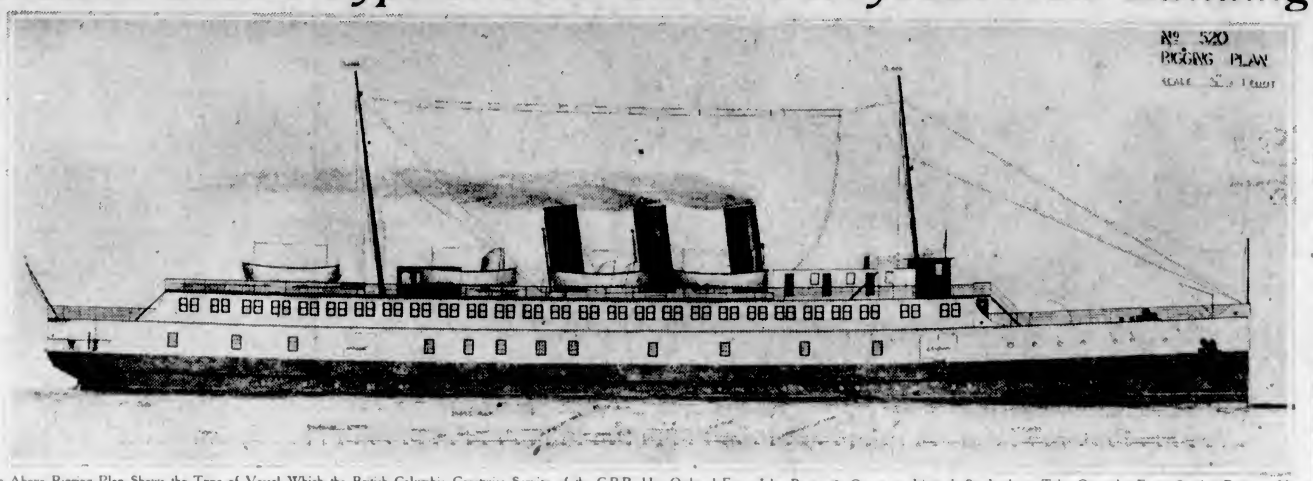
Picture Shows Type of New C.P.R. Ferryboat Now Building



The Above Rigging Plan Shows the Type of Vessel Which the British Columbia Coastwise Service of the C.P.R. Has Ordered From John Brown & Company, Limited, Scotland, to Take Over the Ferry Service Between Vancouver and Nanaimo. The Ship Will Be Up-to-Date in Every Respect and Will Have Accommodation for 1,200 Travelers and Fifty Automobiles. The Vessel Will Be Delivered for Service by the End of February Next. She Will Make the Trip on a Two-Hour Schedule.

MEAT FROM CANADA MUST BE INSPECTED

New regulations regarding importation of edible meats into Japan, to become effective May 1, announced by the Japanese consulate here Wednesday, read as follows:

First—"Meat" shall mean beef, mutton, pork, goat and horseflesh, when imported for sale as food.

Second—All meats shall carry a certificate issued by federal or provincial authorities in country of export showing they passed inspection at time of slaughter; also they must bear a legible stamp on their surface indicating kind of meat and date of slaughter; and further, they must pass inspection of the governor at the port of arrival.

Meats not complying with these requirements shall be refused admittance.

Kaikyu Maru's Dock Trials Successful

VANCOUVER, March 17.—Work of repairing the big Japanese freighter Ss. Kaikyu Maru at the Burrard Drydock Company, Limited, plant is nearing completion and it is expected she will be on berth by March 21, the contract date for concluding the repairs. On Wednesday the ship ran successful dock trials, and at noon on Friday she will go out on a trial run on the Gulf of Georgia, from 12 noon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Her Japanese captain will be in command and a party of shipping men will be on board to observe the performance of the ship and her engines. The latter have been practically rebuilt.

E. & N. RAILWAY SCHEDULE

Trains leave Victoria at 9 a.m. and 4:55 p.m. daily for Wellington and way points.

The 9 a.m. train runs through to Courtenay and Port Alberni daily except Sunday.

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Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, March 17.—Arrived: Eldorado, Chetopa, San Francisco; Castletown, Everett, Ms. Cellina, Vancouver; William F. Herrin, Port Costa; Ms. Norco, Southeastern Alaska, Horace X. Baxter, Long Beach. Sailed: Corrales, Melville Dollar, Hawaiian, Dorothy Luckenbach, Julia Luckenbach, Tacoma; Ms. Norco, Queen, Southeastern Alaska; Cableship Dellwood, cruise.

EVERETT, March 17.—Arrived: Jane Nettleton, Seattle; Castletown, New York. Sailed: Castletown, Seattle; Kureha Maru, Yokohama; Stensby, Sydney.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 17.—Arrived: F. S. Loop, Aberdeen; Anne Hanify, Los Angeles; Montgomeryshire, Rotterdam; Martha Buehner, San Francisco; Ms. Charlie Watson, Los Angeles; Woyo Maru, Coos Bay. Sailed: Oregonian, Boston; Ms. Brynje, Newcastle; Unkai Maru, No. 12, Yokohama; Ms. Buenos Aires, Stockholm via Puget Sound; W. R. Chamberlain, Jr., San Francisco.

TACOMA, March 17. — Arrived: Dorothy Luckenbach, New York; Julia Luckenbach, Galveston; Anyox, British Columbia; Hawaiian, Boston; Melville Dollar, Philadelphia. Sailed: Victoria, Alaska; Red Bird, Port Gamble; Phyllis, Seattle; Mogul, B.C. ports.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Arrived: Kensan, Port Angeles; Admiral Farragut, C. D. Johnson, Silverado, San Pedro; Warwick, Portland; Ventura, Sydney; Havre Maru, Yokohama. Sailed: Zeekonk, Portland; Walter A. Luckenbach, Boston; Florida, Kobe; Daisy Gray, Seattle; Daisy Gadsby, Coos Bay; Willamette, Portland, Chehalis, Grays Harbor.

Arrived

BALTIMORE, March 17.—Franklin K. Lane, San Pedro.

HONG KONG, March 15.—West Kader, Portland.

AVONMOUTH, March 16.—Selma City, Portland.

HAMBURG, March 14.—Sachsenwald, Portland.

GLASGOW, March 16. — Trojan Star, San Francisco.

KOBE, March 16.—Oakridge, Portland.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Margaret Dollar, Robert E. Hopkins, San Pedro; Missourian, San Francisco.

MALTA, March 17.—Felta, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, March 17.—Esther Dollar, San Francisco.

TSING TAO, March 17.—West Ison, Seattle.

Sailed

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YOKOHAMA, March 15.—Koshin Maru, Grays Harbor.

ADELAIDE, March 16.—Haurakl, San Francisco.

MANCHESTER, March 16.—London Shipper, San Francisco.

OTARU, March 13.—Las Vegas, Portland.

HONG KONG, March 15.—West Calera, Portland.

PANAMA CANAL, March 16.—Katrina Luckenbach, Standard, Crampton Anderson, Cerro Elbano, William H. Doheney, San Pedro; Gaelic Star, San Francisco.

STEAMER ARRIVALS

Middlehaven at Preston, Eng., from Halifax.

Concordia at Glasgow, from St. John.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, March 17, at 8 p.m. unless otherwise stated.)

Princess Maquinna, at Tofino 10:15 p.m., southbound.

Marsellaise, bound Acajcitla, 425 miles south of Los Angeles.

City of Spokane, Vancouver for Shanghai, 214 miles from Vancouver.

Canadian Winner, Murroran for Vancouver, 781 miles from Vancouver.

Indian City, Lisbon for Vancouver, 442 miles south of San Francisco.

Havre Maru, Bellingham for Yokohama, 350 miles from Portland.

Boston Maru, Grays Harbor for Yokohama, 247 miles from Grays Harbor.

Roxin, Vancouver for Astoria, 92 miles from Columbia River Lightship.

W. L. Chamberlain, Jr., crossed Columbia River bar 7:05 p.m., outbound.

El Purissima, bound Portland, 95 miles from Portland.

H. T. Harper, Richmond for Sydney 6,269 miles from Sydney.

Point Lomas, San Francisco for Portland, 185 miles south of Portland.

Manzanita, Astoria for Seattle, at Quillayute.

Cellio, Port Ludlow for San Francisco, 355 miles from San Francisco.

Socony, Tacoma for Los Angeles, 586 miles from Los Angeles.

C. G. M. M. POSITIONS

Canadian Highlander — En route Chemainus for Jamaica and United Kingdom Points; arrive Kingston, March 30.

Canadian Importer—En route Panama for California ports and Victoria; arrive Victoria March 29.

Canadian Beaver—En route Panama for Vancouver; arrive March 18.

Canadian Ranger—Loading in New Westminster; sails March 19.

Canadian Seigneur — En route Panama for London and Antwerp.

Canadian Transporter — Loading at Liverpool; sails for Vancouver March 15.

Canadian Winner—En route Japan for Vancouver; arrive March 22.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Pacific Commerce, from United United Kingdom, March 17.

Yokohama Maru, from Orient, March 17.

Arabia Maru, from Orient, March 19.

Protesilaus, from Orient, March 22.

Dinteldyk, from United Kingdom, March 23.

Empress of Asia, from Orient, March 27.

President Lincoln, from Orient, March 28.

Toyama Maru, from Orient, March 30.

London Merchant, from United Kingdom, March 30.

Aorangi, from Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu, April 1.

Noorderdyk, from United Kingdom, April 6.

President Cleveland, from Orient, April 11.

Tsithybius, from Orient, April 12.

Kaga Maru, from Orient, April 13.

Arizona Maru, from Orient, April 16.

Empress of Canada, from Orient, April 17.

London Shipper, from United Kingdom, April 17.

President Pierce, from Orient, April 25.

Niagara, from Australia, New Zealand and Honolulu, April 29.

Africa Maru, from Orient, May 1.

Achilles, from Orient, May 2.

Departures

President Jackson, for Orient, March 18.

Empress of Russia, for Orient, March 19.

Alabama Maru, for Orient, March 23.

Shidzuoka Maru, for Orient, March 23.

Yokohama Maru, for Orient, March 31.

Arabia Maru, for Orient, April 5.

Aorangi, for Honolulu, New Zealand and Australia, April 6.

Protesilaus, for Orient, April 7.

Empress of Asia, for Orient, April 9.

President Lincoln, for Orient, April 12.

President Cleveland, for Orient, April 26.

Kaga Maru, for Orient, April 27.

Empress of Canada, for Orient, April 28.

Arizona Maru, for Orient, May 3.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
MARCH, 1927

China and Japan

President Madison — Mails close March 1, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 13; Shanghai, March 17; Hong Hong, March 20.

London Maru—Mails close March 7, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 24.

Tyndareus—Mails close March 10, 12 noon. Due at Yokohama March 25.

President Jackson — Mails close March 15, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 27; Shanghai, March 31; Hong Kong, April 3.

Empress of Russia—Mails close March 19, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 31; Shanghai, April 5; Hong Kong, April 8.

Alabama Maru—Mails close March 23, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 7.

President McKinley—Mails close March 29, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 10; Shanghai, April 14; Hong Kong, April 17.

Yokohama Maru — Mails close March 31, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 16.

Australia and New Zealand

Sonoma—Mails close March 7, 4 p.m. Due at Syndey March 31.

Niagara—Mails close March 9, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland March 28; Sydney, April 2.

Makura—Mails close March 20, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington April 11; Sydney, April 16.

Ventura—Mails close Mrach 28, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney March 21.

Lumbermen Ask Ottawa To Have Fraser River Governed by One Body

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 17.—Lumbermen on the Fraser River will petition the Federal Government to bring the whole of that section under the jurisdiction of one harbor board, it was decided at a meeting held in New Westminster.

The matter came up for discussion among the lumber industries following the proposal of the North Arm of the Fraser River Harbor Board to institute a system of tolls, for the purpose of organizing traffic and also to assist in the development, with a view to having the log market removed from Burrard Inlet to the North Arm.

Arabia Maru to Put Off 350 Tons Here

Cargo for British Columbia aboard the inbound Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Arabia Maru, which is due to arrive here March 21, amounts to 450 tons, according to word received by Rithet Consolidated, Limited, local agents. The Arabia Maru has 100 tons for Victoria, made up of parcels of rice, tea and matting, and 350 tons for Vancouver.

Through freight to be landed at Seattle by the Japanese ship includes 2,500 bales of raw silk.

Weather Report

Estevan — Clear; northwest, 24 miles; 30.02; 44; heavy swell.

Pachena—Part cloudy; west; 29.90; 44; moderate swell.

Carmanah — Part cloudy; west; 29.85; light swell.

Cape Beale—Cloudy; west, fresh; 29.85; moderate swell.

Prince Rupert—Part cloudy; calm; 30.08; 46, sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; west, fresh; 30.00; 44; moderate swell.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1 ..	4:31	3.1	9:36	8.0	11:43	8.1	19:46	1.3
2 ..	4:31	3.6	7:34	7.4	12:33	8.0	20:37	1.5
3 ..	3:37	3.1	3:49	8.7	13:44	8.0	21:03	1.8
4 ..	4:14	3.2	3:41	8.8	14:52	7.9	21:26	2.2
5 ..	4:33	4.2	10:32	3.1	15:44	8.2	22:23	2.4
6 ..	3:03	5.5	11:24	4.4	17:02	7.5	23:13	4.4
7 ..	3:03	6.4	12:15	5.3	18:43	6.6	.....	.....
8 ..	0:02	5.3	3:12	2.7	13:17	3.4	20:32	7.4
9 ..	0:43	6.5	6:46	2.8	14:13	3.0	.....	7.3
10 ..	.....	7.5	7:13	2.9	15:21	2.7	.....	7.0
11 ..	.....	8.0	7:09	2.7	16:22	2.6	.....	6.8
12 ..	.....	.....	3:43	3.6	17:33	2.5	.....	.....
13 ..	4:34	8.7	.....	3.1	.....	2.6	18:14	6.9
14 ..	3:51	8.7	9:36	7.9	10:35	8.0	18:05	5.7
15 ..	4:14	8.3	8:43	7.4	12:11	7.3	18:46	3.9
16 ..	4:33	8.3	8:33	6.9	13:03	7.0	20:34	2.3
17 ..	4:34	8.0	8:31	3.3	13:53	7.3	20:33	2.3
18 ..	4:03	7.9	3:43	3.3	14:43	7.4	21:30	4.6
19 ..	4:03	7.9	10:13	3.3	15:38	7.3	21:59	4.6
20 ..	4:11	7.9	10:34	4.6	16:21	7.6	22:27	5.1
21 ..	4:38	7.9	11:33	4.4	17:33	8.3	23:45	5.8
22 ..	4:49	8.0	12:13	4.0	18:31	8.7	23:33	6.3
23 ..	4:46	8.1	13:07	3.6	.....	3.3	.....	3.3
24 ..	4:33	8.4	12:53	3.3	.....	.....	.....	.....
25 ..	3:16	8.7	14:51	3.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
26 ..	5:37	8.8	15:43	2.6	.....	.....	.....	.....
27 ..	6:46	8.8	16:45	2.4	.....	.....	.....	.....
28 ..	7:31	8.5	17:33	2.3	.....	7.7	.....	7.7
29 ..	3:31	7.8	3:47	7.5	18:58	2.1	19:33	3.3
30 ..	3:04	7.3	6:54	6.3	11:53	6.0	19:13	4.4
31 ..	3:36	7.0	7:43	5.3	12:05	5.1	19:39	5.7

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 19.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MARCH

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1927.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:33	5:57	17	6:23	6:26
2	6:32	5:57	18	6:20	6:31
3	6:31	5:59	19	6:18	6:33
4	6:43	3:01	20	6:16	3:34
5	6:47	6:02	21	6:14	6:33
6	6:43	6:03	22	6:12	6:37
7	6:42	5:07	23	6:10	3:39
8	6:41	6:00	24	6:08	3:21
9	6:33	6:11	25	6:02	3:23
10	6:37	6:13	26	6:04	6:46
11	6:35	6:15	27	6:02	3:48
12	6:33	3:13	28	6:00	6:33
13	6:31	6:16	29	5:58	6:37
14	6:33	3:17	30	5:57	3:53
15	6:27	3:19	31	5:36	3:39
16	6:25	6:13			

WINTER SCHEDULE TO GULF ISLAND POINTS

The steamer Otter leaves Belleville Street Wharf every Monday and Wednesday at 7:15 a.m., and every Thursday at 8 a.m. for the Gulf Islands.

Also the Princess Royal leaves Victoria every Tuesday at 11 a.m. for Vancouver, calling at Port Washington, Ganges Harbor and Mayne Island en route. For further information phone 121 or 1270.

Contract Is Let for Fish Reduction Plant

The contract for the construction of wharves and buildings for a new fish reduction plant at Ucluelet, on Barkley Sound, for the Albion Fish Reduction & Oil Refining, Company, has been let to Mr. W. F. Gibson, of Ahousat. The construction included in the programme calls for extension of the present wharf and for repairs and extension to the standing buildings.

Indian Idol Brings Long Run of Bad Luck

Rudyard Kipling, consulted by Lieut.-Col. W. P. Drury about an Indian idol and the evil that was believed to accompany it, indicated a superstitious belief by saying: "Play for safety where the gods of India are concerned; have nothing to do with idols if you can avoid it."

The idol in question, it is related by Col. Drury in his book, "In Many Parts," was bought by Mrs. Drury in Bombay. It was a brazen image of Lakshmi, the Hindu goddess of fortune. Mrs. Drury took the idol into a temple and showed it to a priest who stepped inside the rails of the altar on which stood the figures of the temple's presiding goddess, Lakshmi, and her two attendant deities, removed the wreaths of jasmine from round their necks, and presented them to the Englishwoman. Misadventure of every variety began to crowd upon Col. Drury and his wife and after two years they took Kipling's advice and got rid of the idol. In a single day, he relates, his persistent bad luck changed.

Laws Against Automobiles In Switzerland Relaxed

BERNE, March 17.—Sight seeing in Switzerland by automobile is becoming increasingly popular as figures just issued show. Whereas in 1913 the number of foreign cars which entered the country was 10,542, records for 1926 to the end of September, indicate that automobiles to the number of 44,131 traversed Swiss soil.

Certain cantons of Switzerland which for a time had vexatious rules against automobiling have changed their attitude and now everything is being done to encourage this form of touring. Regulations still vary in the Cantons, but measures are being taken to make them uniform throughout the Confederation.

For the first time in police history Scotland Yard has been asked to assist in tracing a criminal by means of his finger-prints transmitted by wireless.

CANADA TO ARRIVE AT HONG KONG TODAY

Stem of Flagship of Pacific Fleet Is Badly Damaged—Collier Is Hit Amidships

Beyond the fact that R.M.S. Empress of Canada is continuing to Hong Kong where she is due this morning, the local offices of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited, have received no further word of the collision between the liner and the Japanese collier Jinsho Maru in the Shanghai River, on Monday. The Empress was very badly damaged in the stem, but owing to her bulkheads and watertight compartments forward, was able to continue her run from Shanghai to Hong Kong.

Shanghai advices state that the Canada rammed the collier amidships, causing her to ground and partially submerging her. Two lives are reported lost on the latter vessel. A survey of the Canadian Pacific liner will be made at Hong Kong and repairs effected. Indications regarding the damage are that it will take around three weeks to fit her for sea again.

The Empress of Canada, in command of Commander S. Robinson, C.B.E., R.N.R., is the flagship of the Pacific fleet of the company, and is of 22,000 gross tons. The Jinsho Maru is managed by the Katsuda Kisen Kabushiki Kaisha and is of 3,195 gross and 1,972 net tons, 305 feet long with a beam of 43.8 and a depth of 27.5. The Shanghai River is a very ticklish place for a liner such as the Empress to navigate, owing to the number of small craft operating in the stream.

New Coast Steamship Service Is Announced

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—A new coastwise passenger service through four combination passenger and freight steamers was announced today by officials of the Nelson Steamship Company. The service is scheduled to start March 29 and will link San Francisco with San Pedro in the south, and Seattle in the north. The steamer Flow City will be used first in the run.

Kitty's Sobriquet "Puss" Comes From Egyptians

Egyptians of early times worshipped the cat. They thought the animal was like the moon, because it was more bright at night and because its eyes changed as the moon changed, being sometimes full and sometimes only a bright crescent. So they made an idol with a cat's head on it and named it Pasht—the word signifying the moon. This name later was corrupted to "puss," and has been generally adopted as a name for the cat.

Judgment Is Given

In the Supreme Court here yesterday, Mr. Justice Morrison gave judgment to the plaintiff in the uncontested action brought by Alister Forbes, Annacle Island Stock Farm, New Westminster, against the Selkirks Mining Company, Limited, to recover $776.41 payable on money lent to the plaintiff. Judgment for foreclosure of a mortgage was given with a six months' redemption period. Mr. Harry Davis appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. W. H. Bullock-Webster for the defendants.

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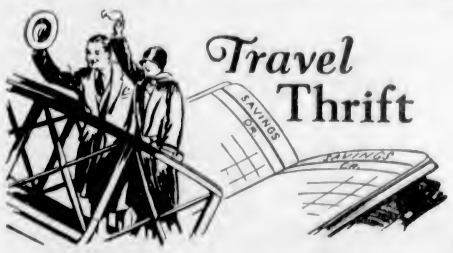

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NANAIMO JUDGMENT DOES NOT HOLD GOOD

Case Is to Be Reopened Because Defendant Was Not Given Full Opportunity to Defend

VANCOUVER, March 17.—Because, through unforeseen circumstances, Hector G. Jure had been prevented from defending an action at the suit of James R. Motion, Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald in Supreme Court today, on the application of E. C. Mayers, counsel for defendant, set aside a judgment for $3,000, which Mr. Justice A. Morrison at Nanaimo a week ago awarded Motion. Plaintiff claims damages for injuries sustained in a collision between his automobile and that of Jure.

Trial had been fixed for the Nanaimo assizes, which opened on March 8 and counsel expected that a criminal trial, which preceded, would occupy the most of two days. However, the shorthand reporter from Victoria was delayed, the criminal case was adjourned, and Mr. Justice Morrison ordered Mr. F. S. Cunliffe to proceed with the Motion-Jure trial.

Mr. Mayers explained that Mr. Justice Morrison, when informed that Mr. J. Edward Bird, Jure's counsel, was absent, offered to traverse the trial to the Fall Assizes. That did not suit Mr. Cunliffe and he was then given the choice of proceeding at once or of having his action dismissed. The case went on in the absence of Mr. Bird and Motion was awarded judgment for $3,000.

Mr. Justice McDonald, while setting aside the judgment, ordered defendant to pay the costs of the application and the costs thrown away by plaintiff through reopening the case. He announced that he would hear the second trial at Nanaimo on March 26.

At the Playhouses

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"The Sorrows of Satan" featuring Adolphe Menjou.

Columbia — "The Unwanted," starring Marienne Dearsley.

Dominion—Ricardo Cortez and Lois Wilson in "New York."

Playhouse—"Don Juan," featuring John Barrymore.

The Stage

Coliseum—Vaudeville.

Royal—"The Mikado"

Variety—"The Irishman."

Crystal Garden—Swimming and dancing.

CAPITOL THEATRE The vaudeville attraction for this week includes Franz Agnes, the noted concert 'cellist, who will render a beautiful programme of standard 'cello melodies. Broadman and Stevenson, songsters de luxe, will be heard singing a delightful selection of classical songs. Frank Scott, a boy dancer, will introduce to Victorians some new and novelty dance steps. "The Sorrows of Satan," a D. W. Griffith production, is the screen presentation today with Adolphe Menjou and Lya de Putti in the leading roles.

DOMINION THEATRE Paramount officials are congratulating themselves on a new screen "discovery." The "find" this time is a well-known musical comedy star who makes his screen debut in "New York" at the Dominion Theatre today, in which no fewer than five players—Ricardo Cortez, Lois Wilson, Estelle Taylor, William Powell and Norman Trevor—are featured. He is Richard "Skeets" Gallagher. His role in "New York" is that of Buck, piano player in a bowery "honkytonk."

COLUMBIA THEATRE The Great War as depicted in "The Unwanted" at the Columbia Theatre today is alone enough to distinguish this great motion picture from its fellows. Films taken by a German cameraman from behind Teuton dugouts and from shellholes in the near vistas of No Man's Land are now brought to light for the first time. We see hand-to-hand fighting between the Boche and the Allies. Reckless bravery. Confusion. Victory. Defeat. Oblivion.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE John Roche, now playing Leandro, lover of the mother of Don Juan—in the Spanish prologue to "Don Juan," the John Barrymore picture at the Playhouse today, was born in Penn Yann, New York, and educated in Rochester. For ten years he appeared in stock and musical comedy with great success, and then made his film debut for Vitagraph in "Rainbow." He was later signed to a contract by Warner Bros. and appeared in "Kiss Me Again," "Recompense," "Bobbed Hair" and "The Man Upstairs." Mr. Roche is over six feet tall and weighs 175 pounds.

VARIETY THEATRE John Roche, who plays a flirtatious broker in "The Love Hour," at the Variety Theatre today, recently received this fan letter: "I have always admired your work on the screen," said the writer, "but last week my friend came back from California and she told me that you were married. I hate you from now on, and I think you're the meanest man on the screen." Now John Roche admits that he has succeeded in pictures.

CLUBMEN ARE GUESTS AT KINSMAN DINNER

Aims and Objects of Service Clubs Explained and Work Accomplished During Year Outlined

At the weekly dinner meeting of the Victoria Kinsman Club, held in the Empress Hotel last evening, Messrs. Percy Watson, Harold Diggon, Archie Wills and H. Patterson, representatives of the Rotary, Kiwanis, Gyro and Knights of the Round Table clubs respectively, were the guests of honor.

Mr. Watson in a short talk outlined service club work in various parts of the world and offered suggestions as to service work for this year in Victoria.

Mr. Diggon discussed service clubs and the benefits of membership in such clubs. He lauded the principles of Kinsmanship and expressed his opinion that the endeavor to stimulate a national spirit was indeed a worthy cause.

The activities of the Gyro Club during the past year were outlined by Mr. Archie Wills.

Mr. Patterson expressed the aims and objects of the Knights of the Round Table and the work accomplished since its inception here a few months ago.

The meeting was well attended and the tables suitably decorated in honor of St. Patrick's Day.

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Heads Engineer Alumni Of Toronto University

THE appointment of J. M. R. Fairbairn to the presidency of the Engineering Alumni Association of the University of Toronto, is one that will meet with approval in all parts of the Dominion. The members of the Alumni Association of this university, which is the largest in Canada, are to be found in almost every city and town throughout the country, not only in Ontario where the university is situated, but in both the western and eastern provinces of the Dominion. The new president was elected to the post of honor at the annual meeting of the association in Toronto recently, at which one of the prominent speakers was Sir Robert Falconer, president of the University of Toronto.

Mr. Fairbairn is at present a resident of Montreal, and since his graduation from the engineering classes of the university, has been actively engaged as chief engineer with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. He was a well-known and popular scholar in all departments of the university and as president of the association, heads an organization with which many prominent Canadians are affiliated.

Saskatoon Recovering From Week's Blizzard

SASKATOON, March 17.—Saskatoon was busy digging itself out of this week's blizzard this afternoon. Street cars were in operation again, while some progress in clearing the streets of drifts which range up to nearly ten feet in depth was being made.

The marooned C.N.R. mixed train at Down Siding in the Loverna subdivision has been got out of the drift in which it was stalled with its seventeen passengers for many hours and the line is open again. Practically all trains on both railways in this district are running on time again.

Young Ontario Farmer Drowns on Marriage Eve

BARRIE, Ont., March 17.—Twelve hours before he was to have been married, the body of Robert Leach, young Essa farmer, was discovered in the Nottawasaga River below Jennett Bridge.

Leach was drowned on Monday while on his way home near Alliston from seeing his finance, Miss Olive Miller, to whom he was to have been married.

OKANAGAN INDIANS ATTACK CONSTABLES

Three R.C.M.P. and Indian Agent Have to Battle Way Out of House With Prisoners

PENTICTON, B.C., March 17.—Arising out of the refusal of Indians on the reservation to send their children to school, and following a free fight when officers of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police attempted to serve them with warrants for arrest, charges of interfering with the police in the discharge of their duty were laid against Francois Timoyakin, George Lessard, Cosmus Sam, Julia Manuel and Willie Ignace. They were convicted and fined $10 apiece.

The evidence of Inspector R. L. Cadiz, of the R.C.M.P., and of Constables Carnock and Woodcock, was to the effect that when the constables tried to effect the arrest of Timoyakin, the Indians gathered in a threatening manner and they were unable to carry out their duties.

Returning in the afternoon, accompanied by Corporal O'Reilly and the Indian Agent, Woodcock and Carnac attempted to arrest Timoyakin, when they were attacked by from twenty-five to thirty men and women. A free fight took place in the council hall and the officers had to battle their way to the door with their prisoners. Cut heads and faces were in evidence in the court house here as evidence of the severity of the melee.

The officers' uniforms were also badly damaged.

PREMIER TO PRESENT PEACE RIVER CLAIMS

Hon. W. H. Sutherland Will Accompany Government Leader to Ottawa

To explain to the railway committee of the House of Commons why British Columbia wants the Peace River country developed by means of a Western railway route, Premier Oliver and Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works and Railways, will leave for Ottawa this afternoon.

Premier Oliver will offer evidence to prove that railway engineers who testified before the committee on Wednesday were wrong in opposing a Western outlet for the Peace River area and in favoring a cut-off railway east of the Rockies instead.

The Premier also will advance a new aspect of British Columbia's case for a Western outlet in the shape of a moral claim for consideration. Regarding this, Mr. Oliver said yesterday:

"We shall stress the old agreement between the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and the P.G.E. Railway whereby passengers, freight, mail and express traveling over the G.T.P. and routed to Vancouver were to be shipped over the P.G.E. from Prince George. We shall try to show the railway committee just how serious the merging of the Grand Trunk Pacific line and the Canadian Northern Railway to form the Canadian National Railways was to the Pacific Great Eastern with the lapse of the old traffic agreement. On this point we shall take the ground that even if we have no legal claim we certainly have a moral claim for consideration under the old agreement in connection with any scheme for opening up the Peace River district. We shall emphasize the calamity it would be to the Province if the P.G.E. were not utilized as part of a Peace River outlet."

In a letter written about two years ago to Hon. George P. Graham, former Minister of Railways, Premier Oliver summarized his views on the Peace River situation, declaring that it was useless to think of railway construction in the northern area without a scheme of colonization to make such a line profitable. Yesterday the Premier stated that he would stand by that summary of the situation.

While in Ottawa Mr. Oliver will look into the claims raised by the allied Indian tribes of British Columbia for more generous treatment in connection with their lands, a matter which has been referred to a special committee of Parliament.

He tried to raise my pay, he did,
That tricky boss of mine.
His treachery could not be hid:
I understood his line.

I met this tempter eye to eye
And gave him for his smile a frown.
He knows full well how hard I try
To keep my income taxes down.

—Strickland Gillilan in Life.

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CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.3m)—4 p.m., New York stock quotations 6:30 p.m. Box Office review, 7:30 p.m. West Coast information service 7:35 p.m. Aunty Baba for the Kiddies 8:05 p.m., Special sport's programme, courtesy Peden Bros.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (289m)—1 p.m. Matinee programme 7:30. Talk on "Future Generations" 8. Organ recital 8. Studio programme, presented by the Rhythm Artists Trio: Leslie Grossmith, piano, Miss Minnie Beveridge, 'cello, Paul Ehrlich, Mus. Bac., violin, assisted by Ramona Hambert, mezzo-soprano. Note.—During the course of the above programme an address will be given by W. D. Robb, Esq., vice-president, Canadian National Railways 10. Dance music by the Cabaret Belmont Orchestra.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (384m)—6:15 p.m., Pacific standard time signals, following with the accidental sport news items and the box office, a resume of the theatrical attractions at the local theatres. 6 11-7:45, Dinner hour concert, featuring the Camlin Hotel Orchestra. 8 8:20, Poultry talk given by Mr. Arthur A. Peters, spokesman for J. E. Layton, Poultroigist of Alberta Bran Milling Co. 8:30-8:50, Studio programme 8:50 10, Riviera Trio. 10, Pacific standard time signals.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash.—12 10-1:30 p.m., Members' Council luncheon programme from the Chamber of Commerce Ballroom. 3-3:30, Homemakers' and Shoppers' Bureau. 4:45-7, Automobile Club of Washington. 7-8, Studio programme. 8-9, The Nission Bell Concert Orchestra, presented by the Los Angeles Soap Company from KGW, Portland 9 10-10, Burke & Parrar's Kirkland Serenaders. 10:30-12 midnight, Weekly Frolic of the "Keep Growing Wiser Order of Hoot Owls" broadcast from KGW, Portland.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (305m)—10 a.m., Inspirational services. 10 15 a.m., T.M.C.A. health exercises. 10:30 a.m., Totem Cooking School. 11 a.m., Banjo Slim, guitar and harmonica novelties. 11:30 a.m., Sydney Dixon, tenor, Edith Gray, soprano. 12 m., U.S. Farm Flashes, "Dairying." 12:15 p.m., Organ Recital. 1-15, Totem Concert Trio. 4, Totem Concert Orchestra. 5, Children's entertainment. 5:30, Salome Lingerma, soprano. Totem Concert Orchestra. 5-45, Stock, bond and grain quotations. 6, Totem Concert Orchestra. 7:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 8, U.S. Farm School, "Dairying." 8 15, Totem Broadcasters, "Opening the Mail". Totem Concert Orchestra. 10 p.m.-12:30 a.m., Totem Dance Orchestra and Doug Richardson.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361m)—5 30 p.m. Day-Ray-O, children story-teller from Lando Health 6, Rem's Little Symphony Orchestra. 6 45-7:25, News, weather, produce, grain, cotton, metals and stocks. 8 p.m. Programme by Kay Gruninger Atkinson, contralto, Easton Kent, tenor, and the Arion Trio: Josephine Hinlub, violin, Margaret Avery 'cello, Joyce Holloway Barthelson, piano.

KFSG, Los Angeles, Cal. (323m)—10-11 p.m., Pack Home Hour. Angelus Temple Band, directed by Gladwyn N. Nichols. Mrs. C. H. Smith, sylophonist.

KLS, Oakland, Cal. (360m)—5 30 p.m. Children's Hour by Brother Bob. 7-7 30, News broadcast. 8-8 45, Western Auto Supply programme. 8 45 10 30, Athens Athletic Club Orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles (467m)—6 30 p.m., Collegiate Acadians Dance Orchestra. 7 p.m. Aeolian Organ Recital. 8 p.m., Programme of Musical Chestnuts. 8 p.m., Sweetwater High School Symphony. 10 p.m., Ballad Hour.

KNRC, Santa Monica, Cal. (278m)—6-7 p.m., Club Casa Del Mar; organ concert by Julius K. Johnson. 7-8, Merchants' Preview Hour. 8-8, Santa Monica Municipal Band. 8-10, Main Studio Programme featuring Los Angeles Railway Orchestra. 10-11, Club Casa Del Mar, Julius K. Johnson, organist, and the Club Casa Del Mar Orchestra. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, La Monica Ballroom Orchestra.

KFSD, San Diego, Cal. (245.8m)—6-7 p.m., Nightly musical review. 7-8, Studio programme. 8-9 p.m., Dairy Concert Orchestra, instrumental trio. 8-10, Mixed musical programme. 10-11, Harvey Ball and his U.S. Grant Hotel Orchestra.

KPO, San Francisco (429m)—4 30-5 30 p.m., Palace Hotel Concert Orchestra. 5 30, Children's Hour by Big Brother. 5 15, Stock reports, general information. 5 30, Stages Restaurant Orchestra, Waldemar Cloed director. 7 30-7 50, "Sports-on-the-Air." 8 15, Walter Kruzenglil's Balconaders Ballroom Orchestra and Billie Rackendo's Old Time Band. 10-11, Stages Restaurant Orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—6 7 p.m., Dinner concert. 7-7 15, Utility service, weather forecasts, police, livestock market, grain reports and special announcements. 7 30 8, Albers Bros. poultry talk. 8-9, Concert by the Mission Bell Orchestra, from KGW through KFOA, Seattle, and KHQ, Spokane. 8-10 30, Dance music by Cole Mc-Elroy's Orchestra. 10 30 p.m. 12 midnight, Weekly frolic of the Keep Growing Wiser Order of Hoot Owls, broadcast from KHQ, Tacoma, Wash., KFOA, Seattle; KHQ, Spokane, from KGW.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (394.5m)—5 6 p.m., The service hour. 6-7 p.m., Tex Howard's Davenport Hotel Orchestra. 8 5, Programme from KGW. 8-10, Universal Auto Co.'s "Ford Hour." 10-10 30, Tex Howard's Davenport Hotel Orchestra. 10 30 p.m.-12 midnight, Simultaneous broadcast KGW Hoot Owls.

KJBS, San Francisco (220m)—9 10-11 p.m., Jimmy Raymond and Lou Emmet, "The Happiness Boys" and studio programme. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Studio programme, featuring the "Willard Tower Units."

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (1302.8m)—7-7 30 p.m., Shopping Hour. 8 9, Programme by the San Francisco Branch, League of American Pen Women. 9-10, Goat Island Goats.

KFWI, San Francisco (536m)—4-5 p.m., Dinner Hour programme. 7-7 10, Sports, police, weather reports. 8-8 30, Wilshire's lonesome lecture. 8 30-9, Panatrope concert.

KMTR, Hollywood, Cal. (370m)—5:30 p.m., White King Male Quartette and Mona Gonzagi, pianist. 6, Nightly doings. 6 15, Leighton's Cafeteria Orchestra. 7-7 30, Fitzgerald Music Co. 7 30-8, Charles Hamp. 8-8, Len Nash Alta Club Hawaiian Aloha Band. 9-10, Rudolph Furniture Co. 10-11, Miller's Dance Orchestra.

KQW, San Jose, Cal. (333m)—7-7:30 p.m. California Farm Bureau evening radio news, weather and market reports, general and agricultural news. 8-8, KQW Radio Club.

CJCA, Edmonton, Alta. (317m)—6 15 p.m., Children's programme by the farmer. 6:30, Lutheran devotional service. 7-7 15, late news of the day. 7:30-8, Special St. Patrick's Day programme.

KFWO, Avalon, Cal. (211m)—5 p.m., Miss Hewitt's Golden Hour. 6, Wrigley Chimes. 6:20-8, Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra and rebroadcasts.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (268m)—5 30-6:25 p.m., Mac and his gang. 5 25-6:30, Stage, screen, police reports. 6:30-7, Talk. Radio Battery Trio. 7-7:30, Studio programme, with "Bill" Hawley and "Puss" Donahoo, comedy duo. 8-10, KFRC Little Symphony Orchestra. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Eddie Harkness' Mark Hopkins Dance Orchestra.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (405m)—4 6-30 p.m., KHJ Trio and J. Walter Leopold. 6 30, Children's Hour. 7:30, Scripture reading. 7 45, "Book Reviews: Thos. F. Ford. 8 10 News items, programme presenting Grace Carey, harpist, Naomi Swasey Brown "The California Mocking Bird" and others. 9, Talk on International Relations.

KOWW, Walla Walla, Wash. (526m)—4-5 p.m., Town shopper. 7 8, Service hour. 8 9, Studio programme. 9 10, Capitol Theatre Orchestra.

KWO, Tacoma, Wash. (250m)—7-8 p.m., Lundquist Lilly Twa Pani Twona. 8 30-9 30, South Tacoma Roosters. 10 30 p.m.-12 midnight, KGW Hoot Owls.

KTA, San Francisco (399.8m)—4 30-7 30 p.m., Cliff Hotel Concert Trio. 8-10, Studio programme. 10-11, Cliff Hotel Dance Orchestra.

KFQZ, Hollywood (229m)—6 p.m., Musicale Hour. 7 p.m., Blair Hooper, Jackie Wilson and His Uke. 7 30, Wilshire Ten-Acre Lecture. 8 Paramount Six Dance Orchestra, Del Jordan and Glenda Boston. 8-11, Dave Ward and his Yellow Jackets, Pat Lee and Helen McCall.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (232m)—4 p.m. Programme featuring Clarence and Doris. 6 15, KFON Concert Orchestra. 7, Church of Christ, by Rev. Ernest Ream. 7-7 30, "A Selling Sister" programme. 7 45, "Lucky Jim Investment club. 8, Long Beach Municipal Band. 8 10, A few minutes with the announcer. 8 20, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9, Programme.

KOAC, Corvallis, Ore. (280m)—7 p.m., The campus reporter. 7 15, Talk, "A Few Interpretations of the American Boy," J. M. Klarsek. 7 30, Talk, "Oregon's Mineral Resources," Dean C. E. Newins. 7 45, Talk, "Bringing Pure Water to the Householder," H. S. Rogers. 8, The city gardener. 8 15 New things in science.

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (342.8m)—6 30 p.m. Dinner hour concert. 7 30, Studio programme. 8 30-10 30, Dance music.

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2 DEATHS

MARTIN—There passed away at Tranquille, B.C., on March 14, William Charles Martin, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin, Brentwood Bay. The late Mr. Martin was born in this city thirty years ago. He enlisted with the 54th Regiment, Canadian Ordnance Corps, in May, 1915, and served until his discharge in 1919. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his parents, two sisters, Mrs. H. M. Spence, 1626 Avebury Avenue, and Mrs. C. M. Ravenomb, 2024 Asquith Street, both of this city.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon, March 18, at 2 o'clock, from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, corner Quadra and Broughton streets. Rev. F. C. Chapman will officiate and interment will be made at the Royal Oak Burial Park.

STEBBINGS—On March 16, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Susanna Stebbings, aged eighty-four years, relict of the late Edward Stebbings. The deceased was a native of England and had resided here for the last thirty-four years. She is mourned by four daughters, Mrs. Walter Thorpe, of South Tacoma, Mrs. Ross McQuillan, of Vancouver, B.C., Mrs. S. Rothwell, of Glen Ellyn, Ill., and Mrs. W. S. Gordon, of Dallas, Oregon, and two sons, Robert, of Vancouver, B.C., and William, of Detroit, Mich.

The funeral will take place from McCall Bros. Funeral Home, corner of Johnson and Vancouver Streets, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. A. de H. Owen will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PANGMAN—Passed away at Salmon Arm, B.C., of pneumonia, on the 14th February, 1927, Dorothy Lillian (nee Greenwood), wife of Lionel H. Pangman, and eldest daughter of the late Russell and Alice C. Greenwood, of Toronto, Ont., and Comox, B.C.

WALES—On March 17, at the family residence, 1851 Southgate Street, Sarah, widow of the late D. Wales, aged 74 years. The deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. R. Jesse, and two sons, Sidney and Percy, all of this city.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, March 19, at 2.15 p.m. from the residence, and fifteen minutes later from St. John's Church. The remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HENDERSON-CLELAND—Charlotte Edith, widow of Major General J. W. Henderson-Cleland, late Madras Staff Corps, India, died suddenly on the 13th March, at the residence of her son, Crawford Bay, B.C.

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10 COMING EVENTS

A RUMMAGE sale will be held in the Rita Hotel Building, Fort St., by the Ladies' Aid Society of Victoria West United Church, on Saturday, March 19, commencing at 9 a.m.

DON'T forget the United Service Club's monthly dance, held in the Masonic Hall, Esquimalt, Friday, March 18; 9.30 to 12. Refreshments. Gaudet's orchestra. 50c.

CARDINALS' girls' hockey team dance, Foresters' Hall, Friday, March 18. Len Acker orchestra. Gents 50, ladies 25c.

10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

LUXTON Hall, dance Friday, March 18. Pipts orchestra. Admission 50c.

POLICE dance at headquarters, Friday, March 18. Dancing 8.30 to 11.30 p.m. Gents 50c, ladies 25c. Buffet supper. Art Bishop's orchestra.

SATURDAY, March 19, 8.30 p.m., Eagles' military Eve hundred and dance, Eagles Hall, Pandora Avenue and Douglas Street. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents.

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WANTED—Cook-general from 2 to 8 daily. Phone 7417R, mornings.

WANTED—Experienced cook-general with references, good wages. Phone 1816.

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40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

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We especially draw your attention to the construction, workmanship and materials all the very best finish. Price includes new electric range, electric hot water attachment and linoleum. The grounds are being nicely laid out in flower gardens and terraced lawns. Price $5,350, terms to arrange.

P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD.
1112 Broad Street Phone 1572

SPECIAL for one week. Fairfield—Five-room modern bungalow, fireplace, basement. Splendid garden lot. Local improvements all paid. Price only $3,700. This is an excellent bargain. Sam Calvert, 756A Yates Street. Phone 3112.

OAK BAY
A FAMILY BUNGALOW

STUCCO, 6 large, sunny rooms as follows: Reception hall (6x11), drawing-room 22x15 with open fire, dining-room 16x13½, 3 large bedrooms, one 14x14, two others 15x11½, bright kitchen and pantry, modern bathroom, cement basement and furnace, garage; two lots in orchard and lawns. Price $3,500 for quick sale.

OAK BAY—3-roomed bungalow, 1½ acres in grounds. Price $3,500.

CROSS & CO.
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

OAK BAY—SACRIFICE IN 5-ROOMED HOME. Every modern convenience; high location, unsurpassed view. Owner slashes price for immediate sale. Price only $3,150, if sold at once. Terms cash.

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FINE ROCKLAND HOME

WE offer at a close price a handsome ten-roomed residence on this exclusive boulevard. Exterior and interior have been recently gone over and are in first-class shape. Hall, with coat cupboard and lavatory, gives access to drawing-room, living-room, den, dining-room and kitchen. Reception-rooms are spacious, floors downstairs all hardwood. Front entrance stairs lead to second floor, with four commodious bedrooms, sewing-room and two tiled bathrooms. Large attic above. Basement with solid walls and cement floor, contains hot water furnace, Chineman's room and bathroom, laundry tubs, and fruit cellar. Interesting situation; two-car garage. See view from upper windows. Owing to owner's death this must be sold and will stand the closest inspection.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Belmont House Victoria, B.C.

WELL-SITUATED five-roomed house, standing in 56.35 acres of good land, part of which is good black soil, well suited to truck, small fruits, etc. Long term, with an ever-running stream on property. Barn, stable, etc., all in excellent order. Close to station, stores, church, postoffice, Badminton clubs. Price reduced to $3,750. This is a first-rate buy.

C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station B. & N. Ry

WHAT OFFERS? Teodore will be received up to March 19, 1927, for the purchase of the modern eight-room residence known as 1335 Stanley Avenue. Full cement basement with good heating plant. Ground floor contains large entrance hall, den, living-room, dining-room, pantry and kitchen. Second floor, four bedrooms and bathroom. Well-built and in an excellent state of repair. Arrangement may be made with the undersigned for inspection of property. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. A. Berkwith, 775 Belmont House, solicitor for the owners.

FOR SALE
OAK BAY SACRIFICE

$3150 WILL buy this attractive five-roomed bungalow, consisting of reception-room, dining-room, kitchen and 2 bedrooms, built-in features, panelled walls, 3-piece bathroom, open fireplace, garage, full size basement. Lot 50x120. Cash payment down, $900; balance on easy terms. Yearly taxes only $80. For further details apply to

H. G. DALBY & CO.
624 View St. Opp. Spencer's

PROSPECT LAKE

18 ACRES, Prospect Lake, with one waterfront lot giving access to lake.

$1000
On Very Easy Terms

B. C. BOND CORPORATION, LTD.
1300 Government Street
Phones 348 and 349

$600—WORKING man's chance—Seven-roomed house on good street, close to car. Little money spent on this will make good family home. Victoria West. Taxes $58.

$3000—DALLAS AVE.—Seven-roomed house, in first-class condition, basement and garage. Half cash, balance 5%. A good buy.

$1500—4-ROOMED bungalow with garage, lot 60x120. Near new industrial district, James Bay. This is a snap.

PRIESTLEY & COOKSON
Phone 1276. Listings wanted. 630 Yates St.

73 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

SNAP—CHESTER STREET

ABSOLUTELY MODERN 5-ROOM HOUSE, which can be made into two or three flats. Absolutely modern, two bathrooms, furnace, Kinud heater, Majestic range, two gas ranges, partly furnished. Beautiful garden, apples, cherries, logans, raspberries; lawns, rose bushes, bulbs. Price

$4500

JASMINE AVENUE
NEW 4-ROOM HOUSE—LARGE LOT

Fine situation, attractive shade trees. Price only

$950

PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 283 Est. 1887 625 Fort St.
Members Victoria Real Estate Board

JAMES BAY; 7 ROOMS—$2,100

THIS is an exceptionally good buy. The house consists of living-room, dining-room and kitchen, four bedrooms, modern three-piece bathroom; open fireplace in living-room; full-sized basement. Good location, street paved and boulevarded. Terms can be arranged.

MODERN FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW
$2,750

5 ROOMS; living-room beamed and panelled, built-in buffet; dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms, full sized basement and furnace. Good big lot; also garage. Close to street car and on paved, boulevarded street. This is a bargain price, providing a quick sale is made. Terms.

WANTED TO RENT—UNFURNISHED

WE have a client waiting for a good eight-roomed unfurnished house in Oak Bay. Will pay good rent.

GILLESPIE, HART & TODD, Ltd.
611 Fort Street

Money to Loan at Current Rates

A LIST OF BUNGALOW BARGAINS

$3650—ON VANCOUVER ST. (Central Park)—Modern 5-room bungalow.
$2750—ON OSCAR ST., facing south—Five-room bungalow, modern.
$2800—ON OLIVE ST., Fairfield district—Five rooms, modern.
$3650—COOK ST., close to Beacon Hill Park—Eight rooms, modern.
$3000—OAK BAY—Six rooms; a splendid little place and modern in every particular.
$2500—CAMOSUN ST.—Six rooms, modern, and has garage.
$2500—FORBES STREET—Modern six rooms.
$3100—COOK STREET, near Central Park—Five rooms, modern.
$1800—CATHERINE STREET, Victoria West—Five rooms.
$2200—ALBINA STREET—Four rooms and modern.

Easy terms can be arranged on any of the above.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGY., LTD.
802 Government St. Phone 135

CORDOVA BAY WATERFRONT

$1850—2-3 ACRE, on the very best part of the Bay—Good 3-room cottage; splendid spring water; large garden, fruit trees; all in first-class condition. Some furniture. Easy terms arranged.

THE CITY BROKERAGE
A. T. Abbey, Mgr.
833 View Street Phone 815

GOOD VALUE
5-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW
FOUL BAY

Has hardwood floors, large living-room, furnace.

SPLENDID GARAGE
LOT 50 x 120
PRICE $4100 TERMS

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
840 Fort Street

TWO CHOICE BUNGALOWS

$3200—4 ROOMS; high location; 3 bedrooms, dining-room, hall, pass pantry, kitchen; sitting-room, open fireplace; bath and toilet; cement basement, piped for furnace. Garage. Nice lot. Terms arranged.

$2500—FINE bungalow, 5 rooms, modern conveniences; cement basement, pipeless furnace. Garage, oak trees. Close Hillside jitney. One-third cash, balance arranged.

ARTHUR E. HAYNES, LTD.
726 Fort Street

$8500—OAK BAY semi-bungalow in an OLD-WORLD GARDEN. While convenient for transportation, its location is in a quiet and select neighborhood, adjacent properties being of a high order. The lot is 113x153, and quite a large sum has been spent in its development.

The house contains full cement basement with furnace, laundry and extra toilet; large hall; large living and dining-rooms, each with open fireplace; large kitchen, pantry, conservatory, four bedrooms and bathroom. Such a property as this RARELY comes on the market, so we SERIOUSLY ADVISE YOU to see it without delay. R. G. Christy & Co., Ltd., 523 Fort Street, are our agents.

HOME—THE BEST INVESTMENT

$4000—SEVEN-ROOM house in Oak Bay, near sea and cars and school. A well-built house, with five rooms and bath on the ground floor and two bedrooms up. Full basement, with laundry tubs and furnace. The living-rooms open up nicely; built-in bookcases and buffet and plenty of cupboards, and one of the best quarter-acre gardens in Oak Bay. $1,000 cash.

$3500—FIVE-ROOM modern house with three and half acres, in Saanich, eight miles out on paved road. Close to school and bus. Good poultry houses and good water and electric light. Terms.

$700—FIVE-ROOM house with garage, out North Douglas. $150 cash.

ALDER & SONS, LTD.
Phone 2013 513 Broughton St.

$1275 CASH—Bungalow, four rooms, pantry, 3-piece bathroom; wood-shed, garage. City water and light. Three lots, fenced, in fruit. One block from car. Taxes $18.50 per year. SNAP.

$875 CASH—Chicken ranch, 3 acres, fenced. Good four-roomed house and outhouses. Seven miles out, close to main road and transportation. Taxes under $10 per year.

PATTERSON REALTY 653 Yates

$1200—FULLY furnished 3-room bungalow

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE
(Continued)

SEASIDE Home—A charming seaside home of 10 acres, five cultivated; boating, fishing, bathing. Wonderful view. 7-room house, one hour's drive from the city. Price $9,000. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited, 1210 Broad Street. Phone 5560. Real Estate and Insurance Agents.

$50 BUYS good building lot, near school and bus.
$400 buys beautiful lot on high part of Seaview Avenue.
$1,200 buys nearly an acre of waterfront property.
$1,300 buys two lovely waterfront lots.
$850 buys decent house on Grahams Street.
V.I. REALTY CO.
WALLACE ARCHER
1239 Broad Street Phone 1746

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

ACREAGE—1,250 acres at $10.50 per acre. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited, 1210 Broad Street. Phone 5570.

QUITE A NICE LITTLE RANCH

ABOUT 12 MILES FROM TOWN. 14.10 acres; 9 cleared and cultivated, all fenced. House of 4 rooms, with city water laid on. Two poultry houses, barn, with stalls for team of horses and 4 cows, with overhead loft. Price $4,200. Discount for spot cash.
ROBERT GRUBB & CO.
1113 Government Street, Victoria

LAKEFRONT HOME

APPROXIMATELY 8 acres, with 300 feet of waterfrontage on a beautiful lake, less than 12 miles from Victoria by paved road. 1½ acres of bottom land, young orchard and small fruits. Barn, chicken houses, garage, etc. Six-roomed house with basement and fireplace; also two small cottages. City water past property. Taxes about $15 per annum. $4,500.
A. E. BARTON
110 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 2901

FOR Sale—40 acres, cultivated. Good house and barns. Suitable for subdivision. Easy terms. Mrs. M. Anderson, Telegraph Road, Keating.

SASEENOS—Lot 6, Block 11; Lots 6 and 7, Block 13; Lot 4, Block 16. About 20 acres, including over 3½ acres seafrontage, cleared. Price for the lot, $2,200 cash. Box 4595, Colonist.

36½ ACRES, with five acres of easily cleared alder bottom. Frontage on two roads, opposite school, small frontage on bay. Fine view of Straits of Georgia. $1,000, of which $250 cash and balance over ten years. Apply owner, M. Enka, 14 Arcade Bldg. Phone 327.

$3000 FOR five acres on Langford Lake with 4-room modern furnished bungalow. All nice large plastered rooms with a good fireplace. Reduced from $4,000 for quick sale. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Building.

$1250

36 ACRES, a few acres in meadow, several acres slashed. A house of five rooms, in really good condition. The house alone is worth more than the complete price asked.
SPARLING
At Deep Cove Tel. Sidney 102Y

83 ACREAGE FOR RENT

IMPROVED acreage to rent. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Building.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

WOULD like to rent, with option to buy, prairie land in vicinity of Grande Prairie, Alberta. Box 4519, Colonist.

86 FARMS FOR RENT

ISLAND FARM FOR RENT

335 ACRES, complete with stock and implements.
There are thirty acres under cultivation, and extensive pasture and marsh lands.
Good six-roomed house, recently decorated inside; has water laid on.
There is a lake on the property; the fishing and shooting is excellent.
RENT $400 A YEAR.
For particulars of stock and implements apply
PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort St. Established 1887 Phone 355

FARM TO RENT ON LEASE

8 ACRES, Keating district. Finest soil throughout, fenced, mostly cleared; 3 acres in small fruit. Good house of four rooms. Barn for 10 head, various outbuildings. Good water, elec. light. Close to school. With furniture, tools, cow, horse, $35 a month.
PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 355 Fort Street

FOR Rent—Dairy farm, 45 acres; 35 cleared, balance pasture. Four-roomed cottage, barn and outhouses. Excellent supply of water. On the main thoroughfare and inside the 4-mile circle. Immediate possession can be had. Apply B.C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 922 Government Street.

GORDON HEAD

NEAR the sea—2½ acres land, all under cultivation; fruit trees, small fruits. Six-room modern house, city water and light. Barns, chicken houses, garage.
J. N. HOLLAND
209 Pemberton Blk

87 FARMS WANTED

FARM LANDS. If you have raw or improved farm land in Saskatchewan to sell, write to L. B. Hane, Dinsmore, Saskatchewan.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ethel May Hutchinson, formerly of Arlington, in the County of Riverside, State of California, U.S.A., and late of Cadboro Bay, Saanich, in the Province of British Columbia, Widow, who died at Cadboro Bay aforesaid, on the 1st day of November, A.D. 1926, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to The Royal Trust Company, the Executor of the last will of the said Ethel May Hutchinson, deceased, at its office, Belmont House, 691 Government Street, in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, on or before the 26th day of April, A.D. 1927, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Executor has then had notice; and the said Executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim the said Executor has not had notice at the time of distribution.

Dated this 7th day of March, A.D. 1927.
ALEX. MACLEAN,
Solicitor for the said Executor.
203-4 Hibben-Bone Bldg., Victoria, B.C.

CANADA
PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

THE REAL PROPERTY ACT

NOTICE is hereby given that on or after the seventh day of April, A.D. 1927, a provisional Certificate of Title will be issued to William Hooper Stone, of the City of Winnipeg, in Manitoba, Grocer, under the provisions of above Act, for the following land:

In the City of Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba, being in accordance with the special survey of said City and being the north half of Lot Nine on the west side of Main Street, which lot is shown on a plan of survey of part of Lot Eleven of the Parish of Saint John, registered in the Winnipeg Land Titles Office, Winnipeg Division, as No. 11, EXCEPTING out of said north half of Lot Nine the most westerly sixteen feet in depth thereof, subject to all subsisting registered charges, to replace Certificate of Title No. 63429, issued from the Land Titles Office at Winnipeg to the said William Hooper Stone, which certificate it is alleged has been lost or destroyed.

Dated at the Land Titles Office at Winnipeg this ninth day of March, A.D. 1927.
I. H. BELL,
(Seal) Deputy District-Registrar.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 100

In the Matter of the South 40 Feet of Lot Fifty-Four (54) of Section Seventy-Six (76), Victoria City, Map 270

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 34767-I to the above-mentioned land in the name of John Wesley Bristol, and bearing date the 18th day of November, 1919, I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said John Wesley Bristol a Provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 17th day of March, 1927.
H. J. CRANE, Registrar,
Victoria Land Registration District.

Vancouver Island News

BOARD OF TRADE ASKS PROTECTION

MALAHAT SAID TO BE IMPERILLED BY PRESENT MOTOR BUSSES

Subject Will Be Taken Up With Government to Prevent Highway Accidents

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, March 17.—The monthly meeting of the Malahat Board of Trade was held in the hall last night. A long discussion took place with regard to the menace to public safety caused by the Grey Line of motor busses, and tallyho coaches, on the Malahat Drive, and the Duncan Board of Trade will be asked to endorse a resolution asking for the widening of that road at dangerous corners.

A resolution on this matter will be sent to the Premier, Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P., and Mr. C. F. Davie, M.P.P.

The Duncan Board will also be invited to take up the matter of the rules governing trolling from boats, which in their present form make it impossible for a single man to row a boat and fish.

It was decided to further press the matter of reasonable access by road to the south end of Shawnigan Lake station, and also for the opening up of a gazetted roadway through the property of the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company.

A proposal from the fish and game committee to introduce Hungarian partridges into the district will be referred to the Provincial Game Board.

It was decided to proceed with arrangements for the Board of Trade dance on the night of Easter Monday, and to arrange for an outing to the Bamberton Cement Works in June.

Two new members, Captain A. B. James, and Captain E. W. D. Levien, were elected.

Mr. G. A. Cheeke, president, was in the chair, and there were present, Colonel I. Eardley-Wilmot, Lieutenant-Colonel F. T. Oldham, Lieutenant-Colonel L. W. Whittaker, Captain E. W. Levien, Messrs. H. E. Hawking, G. C. Cheeke, E. D. Sheringham, G. G. Orr, F. T. Elford, G. Taggart, S. J. Heald, S. Yates, W. Mudge, Jr., G. G. Garnett, James Ford, James Christison, N. G. Alexander, B. Lovell, F. Hartl, C. W. Lonsdale and J. C. Rathbone, secretary.

HEARS STORY OF GIRLS' WORK EFFORTS

Mothers' and Daughters' Banquet Addressed at Courtenay by Miss Fountain

COURTENAY, March 17.—The mothers and daughters banquet, held in the basement of St. George's United Church, under the auspices of the C.G.I.T., was a most enjoyable affair. The chief guest was Miss Fountain, girls' work secretary for British Columbia, who in an interesting address outlined the activities of the girls in various parts of the Province. Besides an excellent toast list, a musical programme had been prepared. Miss Marguerite McKee made an efficient toastmistress and the toasts included "The King," "Our Mothers," proposed by Miss Alice Gwilt and responded to by Mrs. Sutherland; "The Trail Rangers," proposed by Miss Mary Morrison and responded to by Mr. Charles Rive; "Our Guest" was given by Mrs. Alexander and replied to by Miss Fountain. Other toasts were proposed by Miss Lolo Quinn and Miss Margaret Sutherland and responded to by Mr. William Duncan and the Rev. W. A. Alexander.

The musical programme included instrumental solos by Miss Eileen Grieve and Miss Alice Hurford; a vocal duet by the Misses Frances and Kay Moore; an instrumental duet by Miss Margurite McKeen and Miss Margaret Inglis.

On Tuesday evening the C.G.I.T. presented Miss Frances Nickawa, one of the most popular elocutionists in her class, who gave an outline of the life of her own people in Northern Canada. The first half of her programme was given in modern dress, and the latter half in Indian costume. A striking selection, entitled "Black Thunder," described the taming of a wild horse by a young girl through love and determination. Miss Nickawa concluded her interesting and emotional recitations with Pauline Johnson's "Canada."

ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT BAMFIELD

Happy Function Held at Cable Station by Children, Assisted by Vocalist and Dancer

BAMFIELD, March 16.—The variety entertainment on Friday night was a great success. The programme was furnished chiefly by the children, with the exception of several fine bass solos by Mr. Moginie and an "Eastern" dance which was cleverly done by Mrs. R. C. Kennedy in costume. A humorous musical sketch, entitled "The Washing Day," caused much merriment. Those taking part were: The Misses Gladys Phippard, Marjory Sherlock, Peggy Moore, Irma Jennings, Vera Logvinoff, Eleanor Andersen, Phyllis Rock and Alex. McKee, Don McGee, Ronnie Greenstreet, Jack McGee, Harold McGillivary and Walter Hoskins. Miss E. Lynn was the Good Fairy, with little Sylvia Rock, Barbara Sherlock and Zenia Hoskins as attendants.

A number of the smaller children presented the "Sandman," appearing in nighties and pyjamas with candles. Mr. C. Greenstreet was "Sandman," and the children taking part were: Rita Greenstreet, Sylvia Rock, Zema Hoskins, Barbara Sherlock, Gabrielle and Cecilia Vanden, David Moore, Eddie Rock, Keith McKee, Peter Greenstreet, Leonard Jennings, Toby Taylor and Borl Haskins.

Little Gabrielle and Cecilia Vanden sang a pretty little French song in costume.

The Misses Gladys Phippard, Peggy Moore and Eleanor Andersen caused much amusement with their rendering of "The Three Old Maids of Lee."

The snow scene was an exceedingly beautiful number. Peggy Moore sang the solo part in this sweetly, and the dance numbers were cleverly executed.

The humorous sketch, "The Unwelcome visitor," was clevery presented by Gladys Phippard, Irma Jennings, Marjory Sherlock, Alex. McKee and little Rita Greenstreet who, as "Tommy," the bad boy, made quite a hit.

The thorough work of the training of the children was undertaken entirely by Mrs. P. Martlew. Mr. R. Martlew gave good support as pianist.

Whist Drive at Royston

COURTENAY, March 15.—The whist drive held at Royston in aid of the school sports fund resulted as follows: Ladies' first prize, Miss Gladys Roy; ladies consolation, Mrs. A. M. Hilton; gents' first prize, Mr. Bert Carey; booby prize, Jack Hilton. Mr. Gordon Thomas acted as master of ceremonies for the evening. Dancing was enjoyed by the younger set after delightful refreshments had been partaken. The dance music was provided by the kindness of Mr. Samuel McLeod and family, who made a proficient four-piece orchestra. The final whist drive of the season is to be held on the last Friday in March.

DRIVER KNEW NOTHING OF CHILD'S PRESENCE

Inquest Held on Girl Who Fell Off Wagon—Caught in Wheel Spokes

COURTENAY, March 17.—The inquest on the body of Dorothy Loggie was concluded Wednesday evening before the coroner, Dr. McKee. The jury, composed of Messrs. George H. Pidcock (foreman), J. H. McIntyre, William Cook, E. T. Ellison, F. C. Smith and L. D. Picket, returned a verdict that the child came by her death presumably as a result of being run over by a wagon.

An examination showed that there were five abrasions on the head, the skull fractured and open with brain protruding and a simple fracture in the upper right arm, showing that the unfortunate child had become caught between the spokes of the wheel. The driver of the wagon was quite unaware that a tragedy had occurred until he was overtaken, more than a mile along the road. Several witnesses were questioned, including two small playmates.

Funeral of Victim

CUMBERLAND, March 16.—The funeral of the late Mr. Frederick Oliver, who died Sunday last as the result of burns received when his shack near No. 5 Mine caught fire, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of Mr. R. Freeburn, West Cumberland. Interment took place in the Cumberland Cemetery, and the funeral was a private one. Mr. Oliver is known to have had one son and one sister living in England, and friends here are endeavoring to get in touch with them. He was in his seventy-second year.

NATIONALISTS MAKE APPEAL

LEADER OFFERS PLEA FOR SOUTHERN PARTY IN SPEECH AT CUMBERLAND

Declares His Life Was Saved at Canton by Intervention of Foreign Consuls

CUMBERLAND, March 16.—The second anniversary of the death of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, first president of the Republic of China, was last Sunday the occasion for a commemoration service by the Cumberland members of the Chinese Nationalist League, of which organization Dr. Sun Yat Sen was president at the time of his death. Headed by the Cumberland City Band, the members paraded through Chinatown and en route chanted a very impressive plea for the safety and peace of China. On arriving at the Nationalist League building, several addresses were delivered by representatives of different Chinese bodies.

Mr. Peter Chu Kong Kai, prominent member of the Chinese Nationalist League, explained the objects and aims of the league, and emphasized the fact that its enemies had spread the impression that this organization was Bolshevik in character. The speaker denied this in the strongest terms. Mr. Chu informed his audience that some years ago, whilst in Canton, he had been arrested and thrown into prison by enemies of the Chinese Nationalist League. On this occasion he had been saved from probable death by the intervention of British and American consuls, who had secured his release.

Throughout the whole of his life, Dr. Sun Yat Sen tried to bring about modern conditions and democratic government in China, and died after forty years of fruitful work for his country, he said.

Mr. Chu explained that the constitution of the Chinese Nationalist League embodies the following aims: The maintenance of the unity of politics, expansion of local self government, to enforce the assimilation of the race, to adopt the best policies of Socialism, and to maintain national peace. Several other speakers addressed the gathering along similar lines. It was asserted that there was a rapidly growing interest being shown in the Chinese Nationalist League amongst the local Chinese, and that in the near future the Chinese of this district would be united, instead of being divided into factions as at present.

Little Mothers' League Members to Receive Diplomas

NANAIMO, March 17.—The Little Mothers' League members who have been having classes each week at the Central School, will be presented with diplomas on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Miss Isabel Jeffares, R.N., superintendent of the Cowichan Health Centre, will make the presentations.

The following girls will receive diplomas: Kathleen Green, Jean Murray, Fenetta Hickman, Elizabeth Main, Norma Bryant, Dorothy Collier, Florence Stephenson, Mary Jackson, Mavis Thompson, Agnes Wilson, Olive Booth, Catherine Finlay, Vera Cornish, Goldie Adirin. Each girl was asked to write a short essay on some phase of the work. The prize for the best goes to Kathleen Green.

North Saanich Liberals to Meet

SIDNEY, March 17.—The annual meeting of the North Saanich Liberal Association will be held on Thursday evening at Wesley Hall.

"That's a very stupid brute of yours, John," said the minister to one of his parishioners, a peat dealer, who drove his merchandise from door to door in a small cart drawn by a donkey. "I never see you but the creature is braying."

"Eh, sir," said the peat dealer, "ye ken the heart's warm when friends meet."

PIONEER RESIDENT OF CHEMAINUS DIES

Mr. G. R. Porter Had Resided in District for Period of Forty Years

CHEMAINUS, March 17.—Mr. G. R. Porter died here this morning, eighty-three years of age, and a resident of Chemainus for forty-three years. Mr. Porter came here from England in 1884, and took up farming, working on his property practically until the time of his death. He leaves three daughters, Mrs. Davie, of Vancouver; Mrs. Bottomley, of Niagara, and Mrs. Cooper, in Nova Scotia; also six sons, George and Robert, in Alberta, Harry in Vancouver, Frank, Alan and Walter in Chemainus. He is survived by seventeen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. The funeral will be on Sunday.

Former Resident Passes

NANAIMO, March 17. — Word reached the city last night of the death of Mrs. Adam Jack, which occurred in Vancouver at 10 o'clock last evening. The late Mrs. Jack was a former resident of Nanaimo, and leaves, both in Nanaimo and Vancouver, a host of friends to mourn her loss. Among the surviving relatives are two brothers, Albert and S. Snedden, of this city.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Re Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Company, Limited

Sale by Order of the Court

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to the order of Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald, dated the 18th day of February, 1927, in a bondholders' action intituled in the Supreme Court of British Columbia between the Royal Trust Company and Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Company Limited and others, being E.1402/1916, brought to enforce the trusts of an indenture dated the 30th day of June, 1911, tenders are invited by George Edward Winter the Receiver appointed by an order of this Court dated the 15th day of September, 1916, and the decree in the said action dated the 21st day of November, 1916, for the purchase of all the remaining properties and assets of the said Company. The said properties are described as follows:

1. That certain parcel of land and premises situate in the Province of British Columbia more particularly described as Lot 538, Range 5, Coast District, containing 100 acres more or less.

2. That certain parcel of land and premises situate in the Province of British Columbia more particularly described as Lot 4386, Range 5, Coast District, containing 37 81/100 acres more or less, excepting thereout a strip of land one chain in width measured from high water mark.

3. That certain parcel of land and premises situate in the Coast District Province of British Columbia, and more particularly described as Lot 484, Range 5, containing 22 50/100 acres more or less.

4. Maps dealing with surveys of drainage areas, rainfall and runoff data, designs of dams, power plants, transmission lines and receiving station for Falls and Khalada Rivers development, and plans of works.

The Receiver is informed that the above lands parcels 1, 2 and 3 were selected by the engineers of the Prince Rupert Hydro-Electric Company Limited as being suitable sites for the construction of water power plants.

Tenders may be made for all the said parcels together or for one or more separately.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had upon application at the offices of Messrs. Riddell, Stead, Hodges & Winter, Bank of Nova Scotia Building, Vancouver, or at the offices of the undersigned.

Dated the 2nd day of March, 1927.
WILSON, WHEALLER & SYMES,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff,
640 Pender Street West, Vancouver, B.C.

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Tenders will be received up to March 21st, 1927, for the purchase of a farm at Matchosin consisting of fifteen acres, house, buildings, stock, crops and furniture. This property commands a splendid sea view has city water in house and two good road frontages. It is well cared for, and has a good iron fence and gates. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. The farm is known as "Dorset Lodge," Matchosin, B.C., and inspection may be made upon application to Mr. Albert Munckton at that address.

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Forward Movement in Bond Prices Continues—Some Issues Go to Record Prices

NEW YORK, March 17.—Resumption of the upward movement of prices in today's stock market, led by the high prices rails and industrials, had its background in favorable dividend rumors of all descriptions. The advance, however, was by no means uniform, as bear traders succeeded in uncovering a number of weak spots.

National Lead was the oustanding individual feature, soaring nearly twelve points to a new high record at 199¾. Call money, which was lowered to 3½ per cent yesterday was back to 4 per cent, holding steady at that figure all day.

Time money and commercial rates were unchanged.

U.S. Steel common touched another new high record at 164⅝ and then eased to 163½, up only ¾. General Motors was bid up to a new record top at 179¾ but slipped back to 178 for a small fractional loss.

American Telephone touched a new peak at 168 but sold down to 165, where it was still up over a point on the day.

Cluett Peabody broke nearly six points to a new low at 56¾.

High grade rails received excellent support. Norfolk and Western common crossed 175 to a new high. Southern Pacific on the other hand was bid up 4½ to 113, the highest price since 1920.

Total sales 2,011,700 shares.

The forward movement in bond prices which started with the announcement last week of new Government financing at unusually low interest rates, continued today, carrying the quotations on some high grade issues to the highest level attained in years. The fact that the March 15 payment of income taxes was effected without reducing the amount of money available for investment, continued to act as a stimulating influence.

All Fractions in Eighths

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amerada	31-6	31	31-3
Allis Chalmers	35-4	33	33
Allied Chem.	144-4	141-4	141-7
Am. Beet Sugar	23-4	22-4	23-4
Am. Bosh. Mag.	15	13	13
Am. Can.	47-3	47	47-1
Am. Car & Fdy.	103-1	103-4	103-4
Am. Locomotive	111-6	111-6	111-6
Am. Smelters	148-1	143-3	148-7
Am. Steel Fdy.	46-1	45-1	46-1
Am. Sugar	83-4	82	83
Am. Sum. Tob.	50-7	50-2	50-3
Am. Tel. & Tel.	148	146-2	146-5
Am. Tobacco	127-3	127-2	127-3
Am. Tobacco B.	128-7	128	128-2
Am. Woolens	20-4	19-4	19-3
Anaconda	47-1	46-4	47-1
Armour A.	13	13	12
Atlantic Gulf	34-7	34-7	34-7
Atchison	176	176-2	175-4
Baldwin Loco.	186	182-4	182-4
Baltimore & Ohio	114	113	113
Bethlehem Steel	50-2	49-5	50
Brooklyn Manhat.	67	66-3	66-6
California Packg.	64-1	64-1	64-1
California Pete.	28-7	28-5	28-7
Can. Pacific	152-2	150-4	150-4
Central Leather	9-4	9-4	9-4
Cerro De Pasco	63	61	62
Chandler pfd.	23-4	23-4	23-4
Cheapske & Ohio	168-3	167	168
Chi. Gt. Western	16-7	16-3	16-1
Chi. Mil. & St. P.	14-1	14-1	14-1
Chi. & Northwest.	83	83	83
Chi. R. I. & Pac.	87	86-3	86-3
Chrysler Motor	42-3	42	42
Coca Cola	193	193	192
Col. Fuel & Iron	60-2	59-1	59-4
Columbia Gas	56-2	56-2	45-2
Cons. Gas	69-2	69-1	56
Cont. Can.	64	63-4	63-7
Cont. Oil	30-5	29-3	30-3
Cont. Motor	12-2	12-1	12-1
Corn Products	82-7	82-2	82-3
Crucible Steel	82	81-5	82
Cuba Am. Sugar	25	28	25
Davison Chem.	33	29	29
Del. Lack. & West.	153-1	157	158-
Dodge Bros	23-1	23	23
Dupont Powder	231-7	226-1	231
Elec. Power	18-3	17-7	18-
Engineer Gold	3-1	3-1	3-1
Erie	44-3	44-2	41-2
Erie, First pfd.	65-6	65-4	65-6
Famous Players	112-4	111-2	111-3
Foundation Co.	55-3	55-1	55-3
Fox Film "A"	68-2	68-2	69-2
Fleischmann Co.	50-2	50-2	50-2
General Asphalt	61	58	58-4
General Cigar	62-3	57-3	61-4
Gen. Electric	66-4	65-0	65-3
Gen. Motors	179-4	177-4	178-1
Goodrich Rubber	36	33	34
Granby	26	25	25
Great North. Ore	22-1	22-1	22-1
Great North. pfd.	56-2	55-3	56
Gt. West Sug.	115	113-4	113-4
Gulf States Steel	62-4	62-4	62-4
Houston Oil	128-7	116-6	120-6
Howe Sound	36-3	36-4	36-4
Hudson Motor	72-6	70-3	70-3
Hupp Motors	23	22	22
Illinois Central	126-4	126-4	126-1
Imperial Oil	43-1	42-1	42-1
Inspiration	10-4	10-	10-4
Int. Comb. Eng.	26-0	26-1	26-0
Int. Pete	26-7	26-6	26-7
Int. Mer. Marine	7-3	7-2	7-2
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd.	41-4	41	41
Int. Nickel	41-3	41-2	41-2
Int. Tel. & Tel.	132-3	131	131-5
Kan. City South	31-4	30-1	31-4
Kennecott Copper	62-6	62-5	62-5
Lehigh Valley	120-2	120	120
Louisiana Oil	13-7	13-7	13-7
Louis. & Nash	138	136	134
Mack Truck	107-3	102-5	105-5
Manhatten Elec.	70-3	70-4	70-4
Marland Oil	32-4	31-4	32-2
Mex. Seaboard	3-3	3-3	3-3
Miami	16	15	16
Mid. Cont'l Pete	36-7	36-7	36-7
Miss. Pacific	43-3	42-3	43-4
Miss. Pac. pfd.	103-1	101	103-2
Montana Power	80-3	80-6	80-6
Montgomery Ward	48	46-6	43-7
Moon Motor	8-7	8-7	8-7
Motor Meter	31-7	32-7	31
Motor Wheel	28	25-3	26
Nash Motors	66-7	65-5	65-5
National Biscuit	108-3	107	107
Natl. Cash Reg.	42-3	41-6	42-2
Natl. Dairy Prod.	77-4	77-4	77-1
National Lead	199	198	147-4
Norfolk & West.	175	173	174-0
North American	45-6	45-4	45-0
Northern Pacific	87	86-6	86-7
N.Y. Central	144	143-4	143-4
N.Y. N.H. & Hart.	31-7	31	31
N.Y. Ont. & West	27-7	27-7	27-7
Packard Motor	37-2	36-2	36-2
Pan. American	67	61-0	63
Pan. American B.	62-4	62-2	62-2
Pennsylvania R.R.	59-4	58	58-2
Pere Marquette	138	136	136
Phillips Pete.	51-6	51-1	51-0
Pierce Arrow	30-6	30-3	30-4
Producers & Ref.	33-5	33-0	33-0
Pullman Co.	179-4	173-0	176-4
Pure Oil	30-2	30	30-2
Radio	83-1	82-0	83-1
Ray Cons.	13	12	12
Reading	107-4	106-4	107-4
Rep. Iron & Steel	74-4	74	74-4
Royal Dutch	59-7	58-7	59-7
Savage Arms	49-3	49-2	49-2
Schulte	48	49	48
Sears Roebuck	82-3	84-2	84-4
Shell Union	29	29-6	28-6
Sinclair Cons.	18-4	18-3	18-4
Sloss Sheffield	131-4	131	131-4
Southern Pac.	113-2	112	113
Southern Railway	124-2	123	124-3
Standard Gas	26-7	26-6	26-6
Standard Oil, Cal.	56-6	56-3	56-3
Standard Oil, N.J.	77-7	77-3	77-5
Standard Oil, N.Y.	31-4	31-3	31-3
Standard Oil, Ind.	70-5	70-5	70-2
Stewart Warner	83-6	83-3	83-3
St. Louis & S. Fran.	113-3	113-3	113-3
Stromburg Carb.	38-4	38-4	38-4
Studebaker	59-3	59-2	59-3
Stutz Motor	18-3	18-2	18-3
Tennessee Copper	11-7	11-7	11-7
Texas Co.	48-4	48	48-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	23-3	23	23
Texas Pacific R.R.	66-4	65	66-4
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	13-4	13-4	13-4
Timken Roller	53-3	53	53-2
Tobacco Prod.	108-7	108-7	106-7
Tobacco Prod. A.	121-6	121-6	121-6
Transcont. Oil	4-4	4-4	4-4
Union Oil & Gas	118-1	114-2	113-1
Union Oil of Cal.	46-4	46-2	48-2
Union Pacific	148-3	146	146-8
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	220	220	220
U.S. Ind. Alco.	73-4	73-4	75
U.S. Rubber	45-3	44-1	44-1
U.S. Steel	164-4	162-3	163-4
Universal Pipe	31-1	31	31
Vanadium	46-7	45-1	45-4
Wabash	72-3	71-1	71-2
Western Pacific	36	36-4	36-4
Westing. Elec.	76-6	72-6	76-6
White Motor	51	50-2	50-7
Willys-Overland	24-4	23-2	23-3
Woolworth	128	127	127
Worth. Pump	27	27	27
Y'gstn Sh. & Tu.	32-7	32-4	32-4
Yel. Trk & Coach	27-7	27-1	27-7
West. Air Brake	132	123-4	134-1
Intl. Harvester	135-4	161	142-3
Victor Talking	36-7	36-4	36-0

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 17.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents:
France—3.91; cables 3.91½.
Italy—4.39, cables 4.39½.
Belgium—13.90.
Germany—23.71½.
Holland—36.43.
Norway—26.11½.
Sweden—26.76.
Denmark—22.62.
Switzerland—19.22½.
Spain—17.43.
Greece—1.28½.
Poland—.1158.
Czecho-Slovakia—2.98.
Jugo-Slavia—1.73.
Austria—.1413½.
Rumania—.60.
Argentina—42.10.
Brazil—11.47½.
Tokio—42.63½.
Shanghai—60.00.
Montreal—92.31½.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 17.—Demand 483¾; cables 485⅝; 60-day bills on banks 481½.

At Victoria

Buying 484¾; selling 487¼.

Victoria Stock Exchange

	Bid	Asked
Mining		
B.C. Silver	1.20	1.30
Dominion Mines	1.30	1.40
Glacier Creek	.6½	.10
Gladstone	.39	.50½
Goldmith	19½	20½
Granby	38.00	37.00
Howe Sound	32.00	41.00
Independence Gold	..	.1
Indian Mines	.05	.07
International Coal	16½	16½
L. & L. Glacier	.01	.02
Lakeview	.02	.02½
Leadamith	.05½	.07
Lucky Jim	.17	.20
Marmot Metals	..	.12
National Silver (G.B.)	.15	.22
Porter-Idaho	14½	19
Premier Gold (Ex-D.)	2.18	2.21
Richmond	.13	.17
Rufus	.03	.05
Russell Creek	..	.30
Ruth Hope	..	.30
Selkirks	..	.05
Silverado	..	.08
Silvercrest	.07¾	.08½
Silversmith	.30	.32½
Sunloch	.10	.03
Terminus	..	.15
Victoria	..	.07
Oils		
B.C. Montana	.00 1-10	.00 3-10
Miscellaneous		
B.C. Ferm. Loan	108.00	112.00
B.C. Telephone	120.00	..
B.C. Electric, P. & G.	103.00	102.00
Local Curb Stocks		
Molassins	..	.12½
Rincon King	.11	.13
Coast Copper	7.75	8.00
Silver Ledge	..	.31
Northland	..	.12

Sales

2,000 Goldsmith at .14¼; 1,000 I. C. & C. at .17, 2,000 Leadamith at .04; 3,000 Porter-Idaho at .18¾; 1,000 Silver Crest at .08; 2,300 Silversmith at .32½.

NEW YORK CURB

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	Bid	Asked
Industrials		
Centrifugal	.16	.16½
Decker Cab	.04	.06
Durant Del.	.07¾	.08
Mesabi	.50	1.00
Nuts	.13	.15½
Rex	.70	.90
Tob. Prod. Ex.	.03	.03½
Un. Profit Shar.	.10½	.10¾
Un. Retail Candy	.06½	.06¾
Cities Serv., com.	.53	.53½
Cities Serv., pfd.	89½	89¾
Cities Serv., Bkrs.	.24	.25
Am. Gas El.	72¾	73
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	13½	13¾
Oils		
Carib.	21½	21¾
Glenrock	.04	.05
Int. Pete.	26½	.31
Marl. Mex.	.01	.01½
Mexico Oil	.21	.23
Cont'l. Oil	14½	.20
Noble Oil	.01	.01¼
Pennock Oil	.10	.11
Ryan Cons.	92½	.06¾
Sanuina	.10	1.00
Salt Cr. Cons.	07¼	.07½
Wilcox	24½	.24¾
Coniey Tinfoil	12¼	.12½
Mount. Prod.	.23	.23½
Mines		
Aria Globe	.03	.06
Hurle & W.	.10	.12
Cal Jerome	.05	.07
Cons. Copper	.03	.03½
Cresson	02½	02¾
Dolores	.35	.60
Eureka	.06	.08
Hecla	14¾	14¾
Hollinger	.21	.21½
J. V. Devel.	.20	.30
Kerr Lake	.81	.83
Mason Valley	.01½	.01¾
Nipissing	.07¾	.07¾
Ohio Copper	.44	.46
Teck Hughes	.06¾	.08¾
Un. Eastern	.48	.50
Un. Verde Ex.	.28¼	.28

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

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Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1927, 1st June and Dec.	100.60	100.85
1928, 1st May and Nov.	104.10	104.42
1937, 1st June and Dec.	107.15	107.40
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1931, 1st April and Oct.	101.20	101.60
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept.	102.32	102.60

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Victory Loan, 5½%

1927, 1st May and Nov.	100.50	100.75
1932, 1st May and Nov.	103.20	103.45
1934, 1st May and Nov.	102.70	102.95
Dominion Loan		
1922, 15th Apr. and Oct. 5%	100.20	100.75
1923, 15th Apr. and Oct. 6%	102.45	102.70
1940, 1st Mar. and Sept. 4½%	93.22	94.20
1944, 15th Apr. and Oct. 4½%	94.22	94.50
1954, 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.) 5%	104.70	104.70

Prices subject to ¼ of 1% brokerage.
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ALBERTA GRAIN IS GOING EASTWARD

Change From Pacific Ports Is Ascribed to Price Differences—Chicago Wheat Weaker

WINNIPEG, March 17. — Last-minute liquidations, through commission houses and from local "longs," carried wheat prices to the low levels of the day, the closing declines being 1 cent to 1½ cents. The belated pressure was induced by a display of weakness at Chicago.

Business volume continued light and export trading was negligible. Long periods of inactivity were experienced and the trading floor at times had an aspect of a holiday.

It was learned today that the movement of wheat from Alberta had again been largely diverted to the head of the lakes instead of to the Pacific coast. The change was ascribed to price differences.

Oats were freely offered on the coarse grain markets, but prices worked lower when support was not forthcoming.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	141⅝	141⅞	132⅝	140
July	132½	133⅝	127⅝	137⅝
Oct.	123¼	123¼	122	122a
Oats—				
May	56	56	27¼	27⅝b
July	56	56⅝	55⅝	56⅝b
Oct.	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝b
Barley—				
May	73	73¼	72⅝	72⅝b
July	71¼	71½	70⅝	70⅝b
Oct.	..	..	..	69⅝a
Flax—				
May	181½	184	162½	162⅝b
July	136¼	136¼	123⅝a	123⅝a
Oct.	200⅝	200⅝	122⅝	122⅝a
Rye—				
May	102⅛	102⅝b	101⅝a	102b
July	101⅝	102⅝b	100⅝a	101
Oct.	95	95⅝b	93⅝a	94⅝b

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 141⅝; 2 nor., 136⅝; 3 nor., 129⅝; No. 4, 119; No. 5, 105½; No. 6, 95; feed, 79; track, 141; screenings, $3.

Oats—2 cw., 60⅝; 3 cw., 53⅝; extra 1 feed, 52⅞; 1 feed, 50⅝; 2 feed, 47⅞; rejected, 44⅝; track, 57⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 70⅝; 4 cw., 68⅝; rejected, 65¼; feed, 64⅝; track, 70⅝.

Flax—1 nwc., 189⅝; 2 cw., 185⅝, 3 cw., 169⅝; rejected, 164⅝; track, 189⅝.

Rye—2 cw., 99⅝.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Close
Abitibi	30-4
Asbestos	31
Asbestos pfd.	85-4
Atlantic Sugar	28
Bell Telephone	146-4
Brazilian Tract.	127-2
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	10
Brompton Paper	12-2
Can. Cement, com.	122-2
Can. Cement, pfd.	118
Can. Car, Fdy. com.	41
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	81
Can. S.S., com.	41
Can. S.S., pfd.	57
Can. Options	133
Can. Converters	100
Can. Ind. Alcohol	26-6
Cons M. & S.	280
Dom. Bridge	146-2
Dom. Glass	108
Dom. Textile	101-2
Howard Smith	60
L. of Woods Mfg.	160
Laurentide Co.	191-6
Mackay Co.	129
Montreal Power	77-3
National Breweries	64-2
Ontario Steel	75-4
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	240
Ottawa Power	101
Penmans, Ltd.	216-4
Shawinigan	72
Spanish River Pulp	101
Spanish River Pulp, pfd.	116
Steel of Can.	73-4
Twin City Elec.	52
Winnipeg Elec.	62-7

TORONTO MINES

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	Bid	Asked
Amulet	1.22	..
Argonaut	.55	..
Baldwin	.02⅝	..
Barry	.45	.46
Buckingham	.07½	..
West Dome	.10½	..
Dome	8.60	..
Gold Hill	.46½	.11
Goldale	.35	..
Hollinger	20.80	..
Hunton	.14	..
Kirkland Lake	.85	..
Lakeshore	18.15	..
McIntyre	28.15	..
Noranda	23.50	24.00
Pamour	2.08	..
Teck Hughes	6.50	6.65
Tough Oakes	.50	..
Vickers	1.45	1.49
Vipond	1.45	..
Wright Hargreaves	10.50	..
Night Hawk	.05	..
Beaver	.62	..
Can. Lorrain	2.40	..
Capital	.24	..
Castle	1.02	..
Chinigas	4.00	..
Crown Reserve	.09	.10
Keeley	14½	..
Lakeside	02⅝	.03
McKinley	.12½	.13
Mill Creek	.01½	..
Mining Corpn.	3.10	..
Nipissing	7.60	..
Cayat	.07½	..
Newray	.31	.26
Area	.37	.26
Duparl	.15½	..
Laval	.87½	..
Tawagmac	3.70	..
Indian	.05⅝	..
Victory	.08	..
Ridgeod	.11½	..
Manitoba Mines	1.17	..

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, March 17.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.40	1.50
Cork Province	.05¾	.06
Dunwell	1.27	1.29
Glacier	.08	.08½
Gladstone	.26½	.30½
Independence	.09½	.06½
Indian Mines	.08½	.06½
International Coal	17½	..
Lakeview	.02½	.02¾
Lucky Jim	.14	.17
Marmot	.10	.13
Premier	2.12	2.18
Porter-Idaho	14½	.17
Roth Hope	.23	.28
Selkirks	.01¾	.02½
Silver Crest	.07	.07½
Silversmith	.31½	.35½
Surf	.01½	..
Terminus	..	.15
National Silver	.20½	.23
Richmond	.14	.16
Leadamith	.03½	..
Coast Copper	8.00	8.25
Athabaska	..	.10
B.C. Montana	.00 1-16	.00¼
British Petroleum	.11¾	.12
Maple Leaf	..	.16
B.C.E.R., P & G.	104.00	..
B.C. Tel., com. (Ex-D.)	217.00	222.00
B.C. Tel., pfd.	102.50	..
B.C. Perm. Loan	110.00	..

Morning Sales

200 British Petroleum at 12, 1,000 at 12½, 100 Dunwell at 1.28, 100 at 1.27, 200 at 1.28, 2,000 Lucky Jim at .16; 40 Porter-Idaho at .19, 1,000 at .18¾, 100 Premier at 2.16; 100 at 2.15, 2,000 Silver Crest at .07, 1,000 at .07¼, 1,000 at .07½, 3,000 Independence at .06, 1,000 at .02¾, 2,000 at .03¼, 200 Coast Copper at 8.25, 5,000 Leadamith at .06¾, 500 Lakeview at .02.

Afternoon Sales

700 Silversmith at .31½, 2,000 Independence at .06¾, 1,000 at .05¾, 2,000 at .06¾, 1,000 at .05¾, 100 Dunwell at 1.26, 220 at 1.32, 100 at 1.31; 365 at 1.30; 2,000 British Petroleum at .12, 5,000 at .13¾, 1,400 Gladstone at .30, 1,000 Lucky Jim at .14¾, 1,000 (B-60) at .12¼, 2,000 Cork Province at .02½.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 17.—Money 4 per cent. Discount rates: short bills, 4⅝ @ 4 7-16 per cent; three months' bills 4 5-16 @ 4⅜ per cent.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 17.—Call money firm; all loans 4; closing bid 4. Time loans steady—Mixed collateral 60-90 days, 4⅝; 4-6 months, 4⅝ @ ½. Prime mercantile paper 4 @ 4½.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, March 17.—The local wheat market held very firm with prices averaging unchanged to ⅜ cent during most of the day, but during the last hour, prices gave way declining about 1½ cents for May under the previous close, due to profit taking by longs based on weakness in Chicago. Final figures were 1½ cents to 1 cent lower at the low points. Liverpool was firm, closing ⅞ to ½ higher but did not fully reflect our advance of yesterday. Liverpool reported a small demand for mixing purposes only, but millers not buying much wheat at present time, anticipating lower prices. At the opening of Winnipeg market there was a little buying that was credited to export business and there is a fair demand from the Orient for low grades flour, but buying power generally is quite moderate, with little speculative or outside interest being shown. There was a little better tone to the cash wheat market with a fair interest shown in all grains but 3 Northern. Offerings were very light and firmly held. There was a fair business reported overnight in export to the United Kingdom and continent. Spreads were unchanged to 1 cent better on some of the low grades. Rail business is finished as trade are expecting early opening of lake navigation and an ice-breaking tug has commenced operations in Port Arthur today, the earliest on record. World's shipments expected to be heavy again this week and overseas supplies are showing some signs of accumulation. All reports from Winter wheat belt continue very favorable. Believe bulges will be difficult to hold.

Coarse Grains: These markets reflected the weakness in the leading cereal, and while there was a good demand for cash barley there was very little doing in any coarse grain futures. Oats closed ¼ cent to ⅜ cent down; barley about ¼ cent lower, and rye ¼ cent to 1 cent lower.

Flax: Dull, uninteresting trade. Market held fairly steady but a little easier, with little pressure in evidence.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. by direct private wire)

	Bid	Asked
Advance	.23	..
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.16	.20
British Dominion	.25	..
Dalhousie	1.90	2.00
Illinois Alberta	.22	.56
McDougal Segur (new)	..	1.12
McDougal Segur Exp.	1.36	1.40
McLeod	4.10	4.25
Mill City	..	.45
Royalite	22.00	22.00
Turner Valley	.38	.45
United	1.05	..
Vulcan	3.00	3.20
Urban	.14	..

Bank Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Bank of Montreal	281	280	280
Bank of Nova Scotia	317	316	317

Bank Clearings

WINNIPEG, March 17.—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago.

	1927	1926
Halifax	$ 2,754,187	$ 2,432,174
St. John	2,286,348	2,457,347
Moncton	706,444	744,932
Sherbrooke	805,248	703,706
Quebec	5,263,457	1,712,066
Montreal	65,657,702	56,987,331
Ottawa	6,022,188	6,023,457
Kingston	489,384	477,247
Peterboro	732,444	742,848
Toronto	101,474,803	86,777,842
Hamilton	3,131,346	3,137,267
Brantford	1,031,269	899,144
London	2,664,125	2,406,412
Kitchener	1,031,364	1,016,664
Windsor	4,845,852	3,476,012
Fort William	864,692	844,233
Winnipeg	42,381,912	47,371,855
Maple Leaf	447,902	451,299
Regina	3,822,522	2,640,910
Moose Jaw	1,181,817	875,835
Saskatoon	1,526,127	1,097,046
Prince Albert	263,630	231,326
Lethbridge	463,673	317,422
Medicine Hat	283,574	263,665
Calgary	10,582,374	11,121,626
Edmonton	4,351,664	4,648,200
New Westminster	489,631	569,532
Vancouver	15,468,671	16,672,602
Victoria	2,297,163	1,649,652

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low
Austrian 7s, 1943	105⅝	104⅞
French 7s, 1949	101	100¾
French 7½s, 1951	111⅝	111
French 8s, 1945	109⅝	110
German 7s, 1946	107⅝	108

Seattle Fur Market

SEATTLE, March 17. — Mink showed a ten per cent decline from last month's prices at the Seattle Fur Exchange auction today, J. E. Agnew, manager of the exchange, announced. Virtually the entire collection of 11,000 mink were sold, however, at prices ranging from $16 to $25.

Other prices as announced by Mr. Agnew included:

Red fox sold at a $26.50 average, with best lots bringing up to $40. Muskrats showed at twenty per cent improvement. Clean lots of Interior British Columbians bringing $2.50 and best lots of Alaskans fetching $2.15. The collection of 3,500 brought a $1.99 average. Strictly specimen white fox brought $60; cross fox showed a ten per cent improvement, with the best lot of specimens selling for $92. Ordinary Alaskans went at $32 to $35.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, March 17.—Bar silver, 23 3-16d per ounce.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 17.—Bar silver 54⅝. Mexican dollars 41⅝.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 17.—Closing wheat quotations: Spot and en route, 1 Nor., 143; 2 Nor., 138; 3 Nor., 126; No. 4 wheat, 116; No. 5, 103; No. 6, 92; feed 78; screenings, $11.75 per ton.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 17. — Butter and eggs weaker; cheese easy.

Cheese, finest westerns, 17; butter, No. 1, Pasteurized, 43; eggs, fresh extras, 39; fresh firsts 37.

Trail Ore Shipments

TRAIL, B.C., March 17.—Ore receipts at Trail Smelter for the second week of March were 11,668 tons, of which the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company's own properties contributed 8,212 tons.

C.P.R. Earnings

MONTREAL, March 17.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for the week ending March 14, $7,483,000, increase, $466,000.

Twelve Companies Are Added to List

The following incorporations have been registered at the Parliament Buildings:

Routledge Motors Limited; $10,000, Mission; private.

Overwaitea Estates Limited, $100,000; Vancouver, private.

Stone Macdonald Agencies Limited, $10,000; Vancouver, private.

Quadra Investments Corporation Limited, $250,000; Vancouver, private.

Canadian Sugar Beet Company Limited, $10,000; Vancouver, private.

Ambleside Lumber Company Limited, $10,000; Vancouver, private.

The Cascade Fruit Company Limited, $20,000; Kelowna, private.

East Packing Company Limited, $50,000; Vancouver, private.

Cariboo Hotels Limited, $100,000; Vancouver, private.

Blue River Pole & Tie Company Limited, $2,500; Vancouver, private.

McPherson & Carlisle Limited, $10,000, Vancouver; private.

Clarence Hotel Company Limited, $10,000; Vancouver, private.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, March 17. — Standard copper, spot £56 7s 6d; futures £57. Electrolytic, spot £62 17s 6d; futures £63 2s 6d. Tin, spot £314 2s 6d; futures £300 2s 6d. Lead, spot £28 2s 6d; futures £28 10s. Zinc, spot £31; futures £31 5s.

At New York

NEW YORK, March 17.—Copper, steady, electrolytic spot and futures, 13.37. Tin, quiet, spot and nearby, 69.25; May, 67.50. Iron, steady, unchanged. Lead, steady, spot, 7.65. Zinc, steady; East St. Louis spot and futures, 6.72 @ 6.75. Antimony, spot 11.75 @ 12.00.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, March 17.—The raw sugar was unsettled early today, and while no sales were reported, nearby sugars were offered at declines of 1-32c or on the basis of 4.71 for Cuban, duty paid. The refined sugar market was dull, with prices unchanged, at 5.90 to 6.20 for fine granulated.

Wholesale Row

(Revised March 16, 1927)

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"Brains, Limited"

By ARCHIE P. McKISHNIE

Nevilles faced him. His cheeks were flushed. Ther was the fire of recklessness in his eyes.

"Here's my proposition," he said crisply. "Take it or leave it. I'll play it my own way. What I mean is just this. I'm to be given an absolutely free hand with his money and in his affairs. Wait," as Trollivor raised a hand in protest, "I don't intend to spend one cent of his money toward my personal gain. The eighty thousand promised me is all I ask. But it must be understood that as David Webster my money and property are my own to do with as I wish."

"That's all very good," smiled Trollivor, "but supposing you should decide to draw his money from the bank and decamp for other fields?"

"You'll have to take that chance," returned Nevilles. "You know, though there's no danger in that regard."

"No," cried the lawyer, "with the cordon of watchers with which we would surround you, I scarcely think that contingency need be considered."

"Then," asked Nevilles, "what is it to be?"

Trollivor glanced at Haight. The latter nodded.

"We accept your proposition, Nevilles," said Trollivor. "With the understanding, of course, that we continue to act as your agents."

"Certainly."

"Monthly salary to each—shall we say one thousand?"

"Make it two thousand," said Nevilles. "I can afford to be magnanimous."

Haight rubbed his hands gleefully.

"And any investments we see fit to make will receive your O.K. without question?" he asked, his beady eyes on Nevilles.

The prospector grinned.

"You'll find me quite as easy and gullible as that fool Webster himself would be," he assured him.

Trollivor leaned over the table.

"Briefly then, the proposition is this," he said. "You, Nevilles, are to impersonate David Webster, and conduct yourself as befitting a young spendthrift who through providence or good luck has stumbled into a fortune. You are to have an absolutely free hand. Mr. Haight and myself will remain your business agents. Our books will be open to you at all times—indeed we insist that you make it a point to look them over every month and append your O.K. to any transaction having to do with your money which we may see fit to make."

The prospector stirred in his seat, and as the fingers unlocked from his knee the hands which fell to his sides slowly clenched. There was nothing of significance in the action to the two watching, but the steely light in his eyes belied the smile on his lips as he said:

"Let me get this thing straight. For two months I do as I wish, live as I wish, spend all the money I wish——"

"Hold on there," interrupted Trollivor, "that stipulation is made with certain reservations, my friend. What if you should take a notion to spend the entire fortune?"

"I think we should name a limit?" suggested Haight, quickly.

Nevilles shook his head.

"Nothing doing. I'm willing to be reasonable, but I'm not actor enough to play the part of the real Webster if I'm to be restricted in any way; that would be perilous for you as well as for me, wouldn't it?"

They were forced to admit that it would.

"Well, then, you'll have to take me on trust, as I am taking you. If I start playing fast and loose with—my new fortune—you can always discover that after all I am an impostor, can't you?"

Trollivor glanced questioningly at Haight. The latter gave a sign of assent.

"All right," he agreed, "you may consider the matter settled, Nevilles."

"You had best put up at the Claridon for the time being, Nevilles," suggested Haight as they arose. "In a few days you can take up your quarters in Shag Villa. The old servants are still there, and I shall have everything put ship-shape today. Now we'll go over to the bank, and I'll introduce you to the manager; you'll require to outfit yourself, and will need money."

"Just a moment, Mr. Nevilles," spoke Trollivor. "Before you go, I would like to ask a question. From what you have intimated, I infer you know nobody in this city?"

"Scarcely anybody," Nevilles answered, "two or three people in all. I had no confederates in the abduction of—the real Webster, save one man, a doctor, whom I trust implicitly."

He bowed half in mockery to the lawyer and, picking up his Stetson, indicated by a gesture to Haight that he was ready to leave.

"Then this doctor is the only man in the city who would recognize you if he met you?" Trollivor asked.

"No," answered Nevilles, "there's one other man here who would doubtless recognize me. He's from the North, came down here on some special mission of his own, but he may have gone back before now."

"His name?"

"Daniel Walters."

Nevilles was looking away, and did not note the effect of the name on Trollivor. The high coloring had receded from the man's face, leaving it white and haggard.

"Trollivor," chided Haight, "You're drinking too hard; your nerves are all shot to pieces. Better take your car and go for a spin in the fresh air. I'll see you after lunch. Come along, Mr. Webster."

Left alone, Trollivor sat slumped in his chair, eyes staring into vacancy. Then, with a shudder, he pulled himself erect and reaching for the 'phone called a number.

"That you, Harper?" he asked guardedly. "Listen, then. Go to the Claridon and locate a man by the name of David Webster. You're not to lose sight of him. He's holding another man prisoner somewhere. Find out where. That's all, as far as you are concerned. Now, I want you to send Dixon out on a still hunt for another party, Daniel Walters. Search the hotels and rooming houses. I want this man found, understand? All right, then. Report as soon as you learn anything."

He hung up the receiver and mopped his brow with his handkerchief. Then, opening the drawer in his table, his trembling hand brought out the flask of brandy.

To Be Continued.

GIFT TO WIFE NOT PERMITTED BY LAW

Crown Prosecutor in Montreal Bombarded With Questions by Club Members

MONTREAL, March 17.—What is no more than a sign of affection in some circles may be cause for legal action in another. Also, the wife who coaxes her fond husband for a gift may be inciting him to break the law of this province. Such aspects of the provincial statutes cropped up during an address by F. Philippe Brais, Crown prosecutor, before the Outremont and North End Women's Club recently in MacVicar Memorial Church Hall. The subject proved a popular one, as shown by the attendance, which numbered over 300 members and friends, and by the many questions, particularly in regard to the financial rights of wife or widow, which bombarded the speaker from all parts of the hall after his address.

Under Quebec law, a husband may not make his wife a gift of any consequence, Mr. Brais showed. He suggested to his hearers that if the husband of any one of them wished to give her a car, she had better persuade him to present her with the cold cash and let her make the transaction herself.

Quebec does not recognize divorce, which is for the Federal Govrenment to grant if it sees fit. Legal separation and dissolution of marriage is possible under certain conditions, however. Dealing with this subject, Mr. Brais pointed out that the social status of the parties would be taken into consideration by the courts.

"The weekly beatings which the teamster's wife receives, without which she would believe that she had lost the love of her husband, would not be accepted in her case, while the matter would be different in genteel circles where affection is more politely shown," the speaker suggested.

Deals With Marriage

Dealing with marriage laws of this province, Mr. Brais startled his hearers by quoting to the effect that a "man" at the age of fourteen years may contract marriage with a "woman" at the full age of twelve years. However, the Provincial law states that "children" under the age of twenty-one years may not marry without the consent of their father and mother, but if father says "no," mother's "yes" does not allow them to marry, and contrariwise, if father approves and mother objects, father's permission is sufficient.

Another anomaly pointed out was that a widower may, if he chooses, marry his deceased wife's sister, but a widow may not wed her brother-in-law. The authority given to religious denominations in matters relating to marriage was dealt with by the speaker. Marriages contracted by residents of Quebec in another province are lawful, provided the parties did not attempt to evade the laws of their own province in doing so.

Absence of consent is the first basis on which annulment of a marriage can be sought, Mr. Brais declared. Other causes are error as to person, misstatement of race or religion, but this cause ceases to exist after six months of cohabitation.

Children are obliged to maintain their dependent parents, but a son-in-law need not support his mother-in-law after the death of his wife. The law declares that a wife may claim the protection and maintenance of her husband, but requires that a wife render obedience—a matter more honored in the breach than in the observance, Mr. Brais commented humorously.

The old law by which relatives of a deceased man up to the twelfth degree were entitled to inherit before the wife, has been done away with, the speaker declared.

Soviet May Come Into Disarmament Conference

MOSCOW, March 17.—Commenting on a report that France, Germany and Poland intend to ask the Soviet Government to take part in an international disarmament conference next Fall, the Izvestia says Russia is willing in principle to participate. The newspaper adds, however, that if the inviting powers really wish the Soviet Government to join in the conference it must be convened outside Switzerland.

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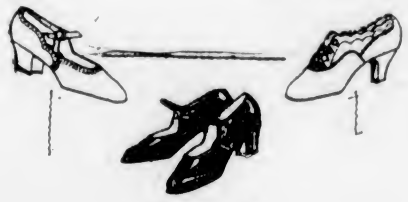

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Women's Parchment or Patent Strap Pumps.

Men's Oxfords in light or medium tan, black calf and patent. New wide toe lasts and rubber heels.

Men's Welted Dress Boots, in tan or black; Blucher or Balmoral style, with rubber heels.

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—Shoes, Lower Main Floor

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Butterscotch Squares, per lb. ..... **25¢**

—Candy, Near Hardware

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On the Bargain Highway Today and Saturday

Currant Cup Cakes, doz. **20¢**

Plain Buns, per doz. **15¢**

Currant Buns, per doz. **15¢**

Hawthorne Crumpets, pkt., **15¢**

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—Bakery, Near Hardware

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—Millinery, 1st Floor

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All-Wool Sports Flannel, 31 inches wide; most suitable for dresses. Shades include orange, powder blue, ceramic, scarlet, paddy, mauve, almond green, rose, brown, fawn, tan, taupe, sky, grey, nigger, royal, mallard, wine, navy, black and cardinal. A yard **$1.00**

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Rep, strong fabric in shades of mulberry, palmetto, rosewood, Copenhagen and henna; 54 inches wide. A yard **$2.50**

Kasha Cloth, a most popular fabric for sports wear; shown in green, natural, rose and chamois; 54 inches wide. A yard, **$2.98**

Crepe Rep, a nice soft finish; light texture and nice surface; 54 inches wide; in rosewood, grey, putty, navy, black, tan, powder and kobe. A yard **$2.98**

Silk and Wool Jersey Cloth, a delightful texture for sports frocks. Shown in cream, pistache and white, purple and gold, orange and white, red and tan, and brown and white; 54 inches wide. A yard **$3.50**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

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